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FIND CRACK IN WRECKED BOILER

State Inspectors Discover Defect That Caused Explosion at Harney Factory in Lynn—Engineer Says He Had Warned Owners of Still Another Weakness in Boiler.

Special to the Boston American.

LYNN, Dec. 7.—A second crack, five inches in length, which was directly responsible for yesterday's explosion in the Harney shoe factory and the fire disaster that followed, was discovered in a remnant of the boiler to-day by Chief Joseph McNeill of the State Boiler Inspection Department and his assistants.

Earlier in the day Engineer William J. Dunning, who was in charge of the boiler when the explosion occurred and who was seriously injured, told Chief of Police Burckes that he had noticed a crack near the manhole of the boiler for months, and that he had complained of danger from it to the owners of the factory and the boiler inspectors employed by the Hartford insurance company.

REVEALED BIG CRACK.

When the plate of the boiler was uncovered to-day, revealing the enormous crack, Thomas Hawley, of the Hawley School of Engineering, of this city, who anticipated the discovery in an article written for the BOSTON AMERICAN, was present and made a careful study of the defect.

It was found that the crack extended horizontally along the lap-seam of the middle section, or second sheet, of the boiler. The crack was so hidden that it could not be seen from either the outside or the inside, and surface inspection under that condition is of little use.

The only way to prevent such explosions, Mr. Hawley declares, is to quit using lap-seam boilers. In his article written for this newspaper Mr. Hawley said:

"There will be more explosions in the future for the same reason unless something is done to restrict the use of these large lap-seam boilers."

HAD WARNED OWNERS.

The first statement the engineer has been able to make regarding the disaster was made to-day. One of his feet was crushed, and an operation will be performed on it. It is feared that he was injured internally. Dunning is seventy-six years old and was warned about a year ago. He made his statement to Chief of Police Burckes.

"Near the manhole of that boiler," said the suffering man, "there was a crack. It had been noticeable for several months. I called the attention of the factory owners to it. I also called the attention of the inspectors of the Hartford Insurance Company to it.

"I told the inspectors that I feared that the boiler was not safe because of the crack. They quieted me by declaring that there was no danger. They said that there was no danger because the steam pressure did not affect the manhole.

CONSIDERED IT UNSAFE.

"I always felt afraid of the boiler. I know that it was of the old pattern, and that it was not considered safe. I have talked about it to those who were in charge of the factory. Although I was permitted to keep two pounds of steam up, I rarely had more than ninety.

"When I went to the factory yesterday morning I found that there was a gauge and a half of water. The boiler appeared in a normal condition and the pump was working all right. The indicator showed that there were sixty-five pounds of steam. I set the escape valve at ninety pounds. I think that it was just about one minute of 7 o'clock when the accident occurred. I know that I stood there waiting for the 7 o'clock whistle to blow, so that I might start the engine. Then there was a mighty detonation, and I have no remembrance of anything else."

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PHOTO BY SEARS.

WRECKED BOILER AND DIAGRAM.

In the upper picture is shown a photograph of half of the exploded boiler, with Chief State Inspector McNeill in the foreground, and Inspector Ferguson standing behind him. The arrow in the diagram shows where boiler parted in the middle, though actual cause of the explosion is attributed to an interior defect.

THE WEATHER.

Fair, much colder with cold wave to-night. Saturday continued cold. Brisk westerly winds, diminishing.

High tide—3:10 a. m., 3:27 p. m.

Sun rises—6:59; sets, 4:12.

Moon rises—10:22 p. m.

FOUR BREAK JAIL; THREE RECAPTURED

MALONE, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Four prisoners escaped from the jail here early to-day by means of a key they had made. A trusty gave the alarm, and three of the men were captured. A posse of deputy sheriffs is chasing the fourth.

The Piano and Organ Column

Of the AMERICAN shows more advertising lines in a month than are run under the same classification in any New England newspaper. A visit to the advertiser discloses the reason. One of them said he received more replies from his ad. in the AMERICAN than from all other papers in which he advertised combined.

If you want to sell your piano send your ad. to the AMERICAN, 80 Summer St., and sell it quick.

STUDENTS DIE IN FIRE; CHI PSI HOUSE BURNS

ITHACA, N. Y., Dec. 7.—Five men are dead, two fatally injured and a number seriously injured as a result of a fire which started at 3:30 a. m. to-day and destroyed the Chi Psi fraternity house of Cornell University.

The dead men are: W. H. Nicholls, student, of Chicago; O. L. Schmuck, student, of Hanover, Pa.; A. S. Robinson, attorney, of Ithaca, and a volunteer fireman; John Ramsey, son of a prominent Ithaca hardware dealer, a volunteer fireman, and Estr Landon, clerk, of Ithaca, and a volunteer fireman; R. W. Greefe, student, Orange, N. J.

The fatally injured are: James Mc Cutcheon, Jr., of Pittsburg, student, and varsity fullback, and Clarence J. Pope, of Orange, N. J., student.

Others injured are: H. M. Curry, Pittsburg, hands cut and face burned; G. R. Sailor, Sewickly, Pa., burned about hands and face; H. R. Power, Atlanta, Ga., burned about head and hands badly cut; F. W. Goetz, Milwaukee, injured in jumping from third story window.

The fire started in the kitchen range and quickly spread through the big frame house, which was formerly the Fiske-McGraw mansion, and was valued at $200,000. Volunteer firemen responded to the call, but so rapidly had the flames spread that it was with difficulty that any of the students were rescued. The three firemen were killed by collapsing walls.

The Fiske-McGraw mansion stood at the extreme east end of the campus on a knoll and was almost isolated. The fire protection was inadequate and it was half an hour before the department reached the scene.

Twenty-seven students were sleeping in the fraternity house when the flames were discovered. H. S. DeCamp, a student, was aroused by smoke. He found the halls in flames and barely escaped by sliding down the side of the house on a drain pipe. The others were shut out from escape to their rooms. Those who escaped jumped from their windows.

James McCutcheon, Jr., and Clarence J. Pope, who were fatally injured, tried to run the gauntlet of fire in the hall. When they reached the doorway they fell unconscious. The skin had been burned from the flesh and blood covered their naked bodies.

There were several thrilling rescues. Horace Halliday, former captain of the football team, climbed a ladder and by means of a rope succeeded in lowering himself to a window, where he rescued H. M. Curry, A. P. Gibson and Harold Earle, half-backs on the football team, succeeded in saving the life of another student.

When the fire had finally burned itself out the companies returned to Ithaca, all save one hose crew of three men, which was pouring a stream into an open window, when the wall fell, burying them and crushing all three almost beyond recognition. The Chi Psi fraternity is one of the richest and most exclusive at Cornell.

LABOR MEN FOR INSURANCE BY SAVINGS BANKS

The Central Union of Rockland, representing more than 3,000 members, has come out heartily in favor of savings bank insurance under the supervision of the State. The secretary of the union, Abraham Leiyehd, has reported to Secretary Norman H. White, of the Massachusetts Savings Insurance League, the readiness of the organizations he represents to assist in the proposed legislation. He enclosed the following resolution which the Rockland union passed:

"Resolved, That we express our hearty approval of the proposal that the savings banks of Massachusetts be permitted, under State supervision, to engage in the insurance business. Believing that by such a method of insurance the working people would be greatly benefited, we urge the Representative from this district to the General Court to use his influence that through proper legislation such permission may be given."

LINCOLN IS ON HARBORS BOARD

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The following officers have been chosen by the Rivers and Harbors Congress, now meeting here:

Representative Joseph E. Ransdell, of Louisiana, president; J. F. Ellison, of Ohio, secretary and treasurer.

Among the directors elected are: William H. Lincoln, Boston; O. J. Stephens, New York; F. D. Laplane, Philadelphia; Reuben Foster, Baltimore; S. B. Dunean, Dallas, Tex.; William B. Rodgers, Pittsburg; Albert Bettinger, Cincinnati; J. L. Vanes, Columbus, O.; L. M. Jones, Kansas City; W. P. Kennett, Missouri; Harvey D. Goulder, Cleveland; W. K. Kavanaugh, St. Louis.

W. H. Lincoln is a former president of the Boston Chamber of Commerce.

$300,000 FIRE RAGES 8 HOURS IN HOLYOKE

DISASTROUS BLAZE IN BUSINESS DISTRICT; THREE FIREMEN ARE INJURED.

Special to the Boston American.

HOLYOKE, Dec. 7.—After burning $300,000 worth of property, causing the militia to be called out for patrol duty and threatening the whole business section of the city, a fire which started in Fay and Shumway's store on High street, to-day, was brought under control at 10 o'clock this forenoon.

The two blocks burned are the High street building, owned by Mrs. Sarah Wolcott of this city and the McAusden & Wakefield building, owned by the McAusden estate of Providence, R. I.

Fireman David J. Burke of Sargent street was badly frozen and is now in the hospital.

Fanned by High Wind.

The flames were fanned by a high wind and it was necessary for the local department to call help from Springfield and Northampton. The out-of-town apparatus did much toward preventing the fire from spreading to other buildings in the vicinity of the fire.

Soon after the fire started the crowds became so great in the streets that Company of the Second Regiment, M. V. M., was ordered out to patrol the streets, help the firemen and policemen and keep order generally.

At 4 o'clock the Springfield engine was sent home and two or three of the Holyoke engines shut down, the streams being transferred to hydrants. Streams will be kept upon the buildings until late this evening.

Some of Principal Losers.

The losers already estimated are approximately as follows:

Fay and Shumway, shoe stock, $18,000, fully insured; McAusdan and Wakefin, stock, $80,000, insurance $75,000; on two buildings, stock in rear damaged by smoke only; loss on buildings estimated at $30,000; loss on tenants in Wolcott building and upper floors Wakefin building $17,000, with insurance in nearly every case that will cover the loss.

Company D, Second Regiment, is patrolling the streets to keep order as the thousands of persons who have flocked to the scene.

A high wind was blowing and the flames rapidly gained headway. It was feared that neighboring business houses on both sides of the department store were doomed. The authorities believe that the fire started from an overheated boiler. All business on High street within four blocks of the fire was suspended.

Two firemen were hurt during the first few hours' progress of the fire.

Matthew Welch of Posse 2 was overcome by smoke and fell by the side of the building, buried under an avalanche of falling debris. Welch was rescued by Lieutenant Gatsby of Squirrel No. 2, who himself was almost overcome by smoke before he could reach the open air.

Captain Speers of the Springfield company, in tugging at a piece of hose, slipped and fell on the ice, breaking his ankle and straining his leg.

Occupants of the McAusden & Wakefin Building who suffered total loss by the fire are D. J. Anders, Frank Washburn Company, Mark Wood, Charles Lockwood Publishing Company, Holyoke Co-operative Bank, John Holdreth, C. C. O'Brien, Board of Trade, Knights of Columbus, Odd Fellows, Dr. Charles Mahoney and the Fay & Shumway store, where the fire started.

HERESY BOARD MEETS.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., Dec. 7.—The heresy charge against Professor Hodder O. Mitchell of Boston was considered yesterday by the committee representing the Central New York Methodist Conference.

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HOUSE PREFERS WEBSTER TO ROOSEVELT

Appropriation Bill Says Standard Spelling, Not President's, Must Be Used.

STILLINGS'S PAY RAISED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—President Roosevelt's simplified spelling rules were given a hard knock by the House Committee on appropriations, which, in the legislative, executive and judicial appropriation bill reported to-day, decreed that:

"Hereafter, in printing documents authorized by law or ordered by Congress, or either branch thereof, the government printing office shall follow the rules of orthography established by Webster or other generally accepted dictionaries of the English language."

The bill carries a total appropriation of $31,215,525, an increase of a million more than the appropriations for the present year, which was $30,168,485. The salaries of clerks to members is increased $1,200 to $1,400 per annum, and the members are not required to certify that they have spent this amount for clerical assistance. Public Printer Stillings is given an increase from $4,500 to $6,000, and the secretary to the Speaker an increase from $3,000 to $4,000.

FENWAY GRAFT, KILEY CHARGES, PROBED TO-DAY

Men who have been connected with the city contract work in Boston Fenway, wherein charges of graft have been made were before the Suffolk Grand Jury to-day. These witnesses included City Inspector Weeks of the sewer division, who was one of the representatives for the city on the work, and Alexander McGahey, who was chief clerk for Simon J. Donovan, one of the Fenway contractors.

This afternoon when the grand jury reconvened after lunch several reporters and city employes were on hand in answer to summonses in the case of the Commonwealth vs. John Brown and others. This is known to be the case wherein Daniel J. Kiley has charged Mayor John F. Fitzgerald with intimidation of city employes in connection with the State election. Among those summonsed were Sub-foremen Maguire, Barry and Garrity of the sanitary division; Stenographer Fogarty of the Mayor's office, Frank Donahue, W. H. Holden, F. E. Dunham, H. D. Bradfield and Fred E. J. Bowling.

POLICE GUARD NON-UNION MEN

BRIDGEWATER, Dec. 7.—Guarded by police and riding in an enclosed coach, the twenty Greek strike-breakers who have been imported here to take the place of the strikers at the W. H. McElwain shoe factory, had a stormy ride on their way to work this morning.

A crowd had gathered near the factory, and when the coach approached made a determined rush on the Greeks. The police, by a vigorous use of their clubs and fists drove them back and escorted the Greeks to safety in the factory.

President Rogers of the Mixed Union made a new offer to Mr. McElwain this morning. He wants to send the strikers back to work at the old scale of wages, submitting the disputed points in the new agreement which the strikers demand to the State Board of Arbitration.

SMALLEST MAN IN VERMONT, HE SAYS

BARRE, Vt., Dec. 7.—Walter Freeman, aged thirty-three, claims to be the smallest man in Vermont. He is only forty-three inches high and weighs but fifty pounds.

Drink Beer In Cool Weather

Old-Time Theory That It Was Good Only in Hot Days Refuted.

The theory that beer is strictly a hot weather drink is losing ground almost as fast as the prejudice against beer as an alcoholic drink. Beer is becoming more and more an all-the-year-around drink. It is, truth to tell, fast becoming our national beverage, and with its largely increased consumption we are glad to note a steady decrease in intemperance. Rich, whole-some Pabst Blue Ribbon, with only 3½ per cent. alcohol, satisfies the natural craving of a strenuous people without the overstimulation of strong alcoholic beverages and without the shattering of nerves produced by the excessive use of tea or coffee. With its refreshing zest it also gives a rich, wholesome food value that makes it a commendable all-the-year-around drink.

The major consumption of beer used to be in the hot months, then as Winter came on the use of it would fall off very considerably, giving way to strong drinks, and hot drinks. Doctors will tell you that to call for drinks is not the any manner of means so large as in past years, and they will also tell you that beer is fast becoming a prominent table beverage.

With this increased consumption of beer the public is becoming more and more discriminating. It demands a beer that suits its taste, agrees with its stomach and carries with it a richness and purity because that makes it a sustaining as well as a refreshing beverage. Pabst Blue Ribbon meets the approval of all the people. It is the standard beer produced in quality. Pabst process eliminates all possible chance of contamination. Brewed from Pabst extract malt. It is the richest beer without being heavy. Many who prefer imported hops in it as superior taste without objectionable bitterness. It agrees with the stomach because it is thoroughly aged and mellow. Physicians recommend it and most people drink it because it is perfect in age, purity and strength. Owing to the nourishment in Pabst Beer the body is better prepared to resist cold.

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HOLD HYDE ARK MAN IN $1,000 BURGLAR

JAMES J. CASSIDY, CHARGED WITH MATTAPAN ROBBERY, TRIAL TO-DAY.

James J. Cassidy of No. 42 Winthrop street, Hyde Park, was held in $1,000 for the Grand Jury in Dorchester District Court to-day on a burglary charge, despite the positive statement by his mother, Mrs. Mary Cassidy, that her son could not have committed the burglary in question, because at that time he was asleep in his bedroom, where she went to rouse him in order to early supper.

Cassidy is charged with being the man who entered the home of Charles H. Woodman, the auctioneer, at No. 76 Wellington street, Mattapan, about 6 o'clock last Friday morning, and at the point of a pistol compelled Woodman to hand over $5. Captain Charles Hunt of Dorchester Station found the Woodman home had been entered with a jimmy. He looked through the station records for Jimmy breaks in the district, and then sent Patrolman Tom Crosby out on a description of Cassidy. Woodman said the photograph was that of the burglar. In court to-day Woodman said Cassidy was the man.

AYLWARD WILL STAND BY THE PARTY ACTION

Mayor Charles H. Thurston, of Cambridge, who has been made the Democratic candidate for re-election by the Democratic Ward and City Committee, is to-day preparing to clinch his remarkable fight for the mayoralty by insuring his re-election next Tuesday. The Mayor received sixty-seven votes at the committee meeting last night and James F. Aylward had thirty-two, thus ending one of the most unusual contests ever made for a city office in Cambridge. Mr. Aylward to-day says he will abide by the decision of the committee, and that the strange contest is ended.

The nomination was made by the city ward ward committee as the result of the decision by Judge Morton of the Supreme Court on Wednesday, when the caucuses held on November 20 were finally decided to have been a tie because of one ballot which had been marked for both candidates being thrown out by mistake.

Seven times has the result of the primaries held on November 20 been changed. Early on that night the announcement was made to Mayor Thurston that he had been nominated over Mr. Aylward by a plurality of twelve votes. Not long afterward the first official count of the election officers showed that Mr. Aylward had won by eighty-three votes.

When the committee met, out of a membership of 170, seven were absent, thirty-seven voted for the mayor, thirty-five for Mr. Aylward and the ballot was a blank. On motion of an Aylward man the motion was made to declare the nomination unanimous. This was carried, though there was some "noes" heard.

POPE'S DOCTOR, LAPPONI, DIED IN ROME TODAY

ROME, Dec. 7.—Dr. Lapponi, the Pope's personal physician, died this morning. Pius X. is grief-stricken because of the death of his friend and physician, and has invoked a special blessing upon him.

Dr. Lapponi's last thought was for his distinguished patient. With his dying breath he predicted that the pontiff, despite his heart trouble and gout, would remain strong and well for years and that he would attain to an even greater age than his predecessor, Leo XIII.

DETECTIVES IN GAMBLERS' PAY

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—Police Commissioner Bingham declared to-day that he had supplied the District Attorney with all the gambling evidence requested by the latter. He said that among the papers turned over to Mr. Jerome was a letter received by the Commissioner last October from the Chinese Reform Association, charging that two plain clothes men on the staff of Inspector McClusky had systematically blackmailed a number of Chinese gambling houses.

In this letter it was charged that the two plain clothes men informed the proprietors of the various gambling houses in Chinatown not to "allow no Chinese to play more," but to turn all the collections over to them, the plain clothes men, "for the men higher up."

"I have personally investigated the statements in this letter," said Commissioner Bingham, "and, so far as the investigation has gone, I have found them to be correct."

ASK $50,000,000 FOR HARBORS

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The national rivers and harbors congress convention to-day adopted a resolution calling upon Congress for an annual expenditure of $50,000,000 for the improvement of rivers and harbors of the United States.

At 2 o'clock this afternoon the 1,200 delegates were received by the President.

Former Governor David R. Francis of Missouri was elected chairman of the committee of eighteen, which will present the resolutions adopted to-day.

FIERCE STORMS MET BY ALLAN LINER

After one of the roughest passages in the memory of its officers, the Allan liner steamship Numidian, from Glasgow via Halifax, came to port early to-day. She carried 41 cabin passengers and had 130 in the steerage. Forty cabin and 200 steerage passengers were landed at Halifax.

The steamer struck bad weather every day but one during the trip. The storm of Sunday, reported by other vessels, struck the Numidian in full force, but the ship was uninjured.

1-HOUR LAW VIOLATIONS IN MAINE CHARGED

PORTLAND, Me., Dec. 7.—For alleged violation of the Federal eight-hour law indictments were to-day returned in the District Court against the Eastern Dredging Company, engaged in government operations at Damariscotta, Augusta and Bristol; the Canaveau Dredging Company, at Portland; John S. Gerrish and Smith D. Sawyer, at York Harbor.

The respondents will question the constitutionality of the law, and will also raise the point that men working on dredges are sailors and the law does not apply to them.

All the news of the political campaign told by an expert who is astute, impartial and thoroughly informed, in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN.

YOUNG BRIDE REMAINS LOYAL TO SCHERER?

In Spite of Bigamy Talk, Woman Attends Boston Man Held in Newburyport.

BAIL IS PLACED AT $6,000

In spite of the talk that a bigamy charge might be brought against him by his bride of three weeks, Alexander J. Scherer, or Schrier, of No. 78 Waltham street, Boston, was attended by a young woman, supposed to be that bride, when he was arraigned in Newburyport police court to-day on a charge of breaking and entering on four counts in that city.

According to special dispatches to the BOSTON AMERICAN to-day from Newburyport, Scherer pleaded not guilty and was held for the grand jury in $1,500 on each count, a total of $6,000. Unable to furnish bail, he was remanded. The woman who accompanied him to Newburyport kissed him an affectionate farewell when he was led away.

Scherer is charged with entering the residence of Mrs. Elizabeth C. Frost, of No. 200 High street, Newburyport. When arrested at No. 78 Waltham street, this city, he had in his room, the police say, thousands of dollars worth of goods. Some of these came from the Frost house, according to the Newburyport officers.

The bigamy theory arose from discovery of several brass tags marked "Alexander J. Scherer, Doctor of Optics, 1,106 Manhattan avenue, Brooklyn, N. Y." New York inquiries to the BOSTON AMERICAN have said that at that address it was learned that there was a man there early in the year with a woman he called his wife.

The man disappeared in this city, leaving the woman destitute. From this it was said that bigamy might be established. The present woman, however, who was at the hearing in Newburyport to-day, showed no indications of believing there was another Mrs. Scherer.

YALE AND HARVARD DEBATE TO-NIGHT

The Yale and Harvard debating teams will meet to-night at Sanders Theatre, Cambridge. The subject is: "Resolved, That Further Restriction of Immigration Is Undesirable." Yale has chosen the affirmative.

PRISONER DASHES FROM CAGE IN COURT ROOM

H. C. FOLSOM, TRYING TO ESCAPE AT EAST CAMBRIDGE, FIGHTS PURSUERS.

Harold C. Folsom, who has a prison record, made a desperate attempt to escape when an indictment for breaking and entering was read against him in the Middlesex Superior Court at Cambridge to-day.

Folsom succeeded in breaking out of the steel cage in which he had been placed with the other defendants indicted in the report of the Grand Jury for the December session, presented to-day. Dashing through the crowd of spectators, he had reached the corridor of the courthouse before he was captured.

Several police officers who were in the building saw the fleeing man and made a dash for him. The cry that a prisoner had escaped echoed through the corridors, and the excitement was at its height when Court Officer Joshua Whitney caught up with Folsom and threw him to the floor. The prisoner struggled, but was finally shackled and taken across to the jail.

Confusion Prevailed.

Folsom made his attempt to escape after the defendants had all been arraigned to plead to the ninety indictments contained in the Grand Jury's report. Judge Aiken had left the room and deputy sheriffs were preparing the prisoners to be taken to the jail. Spectators were leaving the room and general confusion prevailed. Folsom quietly pushed open the door of the cage and had worked his way through the crowd before his absence from the pen was noted. Folsom has served a term in the Concord reformatory and a term in state prison.

The remaining indictments included bills against John Prout, accused of terrorizing children of Lincoln; Anthony Barron of Cambridge, charged with assault with intent to murder; Policeman David Walsh; Charles F. Bancroft, sixty-five years of age, who has served thirty-two years in prison, indicted as an habitual criminal and for breaking and entering; John T. Porter, charged with breaking and entering and assault with intent to murder; Sarkis Choulgian, charged with murder of his father in a rubber factory at Watertown, where both were employed; Edward J. Manning of Cambridge, breaking and entering, and Charles McCarthy, for alleged perjury in the trial of the suit for $25,000 of Mrs. David Deshler against the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad, which was decided in favor of the railroad.

Seven "No Bills."

McCarthy was arrested by order of Judge Aiken, who presided. He was held in $3,000 bail. Manning pleaded guilty to the indictment for breaking and entering, and was held in $1,500 bonds. Porter pleaded guilty to breaking and entering.

Most of the defendants pleaded not guilty to the indictments. Seven "no bills" were returned, including the cases of Michael A. Gooi, who had been accused of committing arson, and Thomas Shea, accused of uttering a check with a forged indorsement.

SNORES SAVE LIFE OF FREEZING MAN

BRATTLEBORO, Vt., Dec. 7.—Because David Cutlass snored while in a drunken slumber in a dark alley, he still lives. His snoring attracted the attention of Hans Allen, who saved him from being frozen to death.

All the news of Society, Politics, the Theatres and the wide, wide world in the SUNDAY AMERICAN. It has the best feature stories and the best pictures. Read it once and you will buy it always!

WOULD AID WIDOW OF STONEWALL JACKSON

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Senator Overman has introduced a bill granting a pension of $25 a month to the widow of "Stonewall" Jackson, the distinguished Confederate General.

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COLD SNAP IS COMING; DROP OF 20 DEGREES

Continued Low Temperature with Clear Skies Predicted for To-morrow.

SUNDAY TO BE WARMER

A cold wave will arrive in Boston to-night.

This is according to the local forecaster, who says that the temperature will drop almost or quite twenty degrees this afternoon and to-night, in Boston and that by to-morrow morning the mercury will not register more than ten degrees above zero.

The cold wave which is heading Bostonward covers the greater part of the United States and all of Canada. The freezing point extends as far south as Memphis, Tenn. In Northfield and Burlington, Vt., the mercury is hugging the zero point.

Coming from the British Northwest, where in the White River Valley, the temperature is thirty-eight degrees below zero, the cold wave is beginning to make itself felt here now.

To-morrow will be continued cold and the weather will be fair. On Sunday the local forecaster thinks that the weather may warm up a little, but not to any alarming extent. The storm signals which are still set will not be taken down until the white fall, which may be sometime to-night or to-morrow.

The local forecast: Much colder, with a cold wave to-night. Saturday fair, continued cold; brisk westerly winds, diminishing.

SAVED BABY LYON'S LIFE

Untold Suffering and Constant Misery—Awful Sight From that Dreadful Complaint, Infantile Eczema—Commenced at Top of his Head and Covered Entire Body.

MOTHER PRAISES CUTICURA REMEDIES

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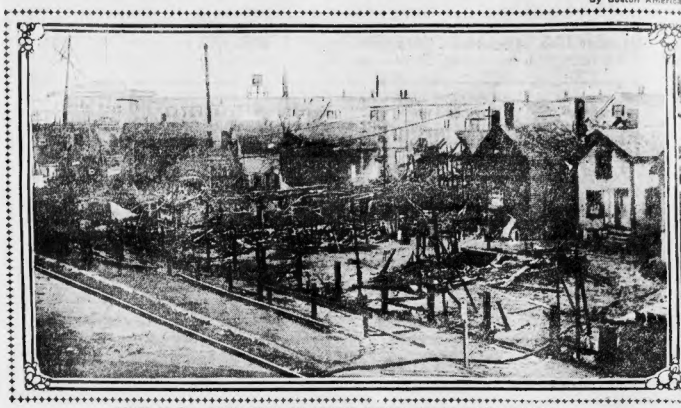
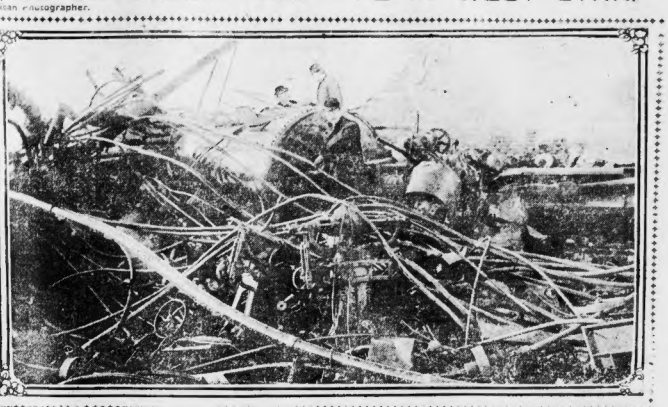
EXPERT HOLDS LYNN EXPLOSION DUE TO CRACK IN BOILER

TWO VIEWS OF THE RUINS OF THE $500,000 EXPLOSION AND FIRE IN WEST LYNN.

By Boston American Photographer.



ASHES OF THE SEVEN DWELLING HOUSES BURNED NEAR HARNEY FACTORY.



CHIEF INSPECTOR M'NEILL PROBING BOILER RUINS FOR EVIDENCE.

Head of Hawley School of Engineering, Studying Possible Causes of Disaster, States His Conclusion to the Boston American.

By Thomas Hawley,

Hawley School of Engineering, No. 115 Huntington Avenue.

UNTIL the boiler has been reached and an inspection made it will be impossible to determine exactly the causes leading to the explosion at the Lynn shoe factory.

The explosion may have resulted from one of several causes, but upon present information I am inclined to think it was due to a crack along the lap-seam—for it was a lap-seam boiler, upon the statement of the Hartford Boiler Inspection and Insurance Company.

A crack along the lap-seam of a boiler was the cause of the Brockton disaster. Closely following that the BOSTON AMERICAN called attention to the danger in the use of lap-seam boilers, and I made prediction, which I repeat now with emphasis, that there will be more explosions in the near future from the same cause unless something is done to restrict the use of these large lap-seam boilers.

Left Bill for Next Legislature.

At that time I drafted a bill covering this matter and presented it to the Legislature, then in session, and a hearing upon it was given by the Rules Committee. The substance of the bill was that no more lap-seam boilers over forty-two inches in diameter should be permitted to be installed, and that the State Boiler Inspectors should be required to thoroughly inspect all those at present in use, with special reference to the discovery of lap-cracks, which are peculiar to that kind of a boiler; and that a hydrostatic test should be made of all such boilers, which is the only test that may discover such cracks, although even this test sometimes fails.

The Committee on Rules gave a very short hearing and it was quite apparent during the hearing that nothing would be done about the bill. The committee reported that the bill should go over to the next General Court, although I warned the committee that these accidents were liable to happen at any time.

A Question of Dollars Against Lives.

The argument against lap-seam boilers will still hold true, even if the investigation of this accident shows that this explosion was from another cause. The fact that the explosion occurred just at starting up time suggests a possibility that there may have been a sudden opening of a valve, which may cause an explosion of a boiler already weak. Boilers to run at 100 pounds pressure reaches at least 450 pounds, giving a large factor of safety. If the steam valve from the boiler of the steam valve of the engine is suddenly opened from a boiler that has been resting quietly under steam, it may cause so sudden and violent a disturbance, under certain conditions, as to project large bodies of water against the side of the boiler and rend it open by the sudden shock at a place that may have been already weakened, and many boilers have exploded under those circumstances when they were cracked around the man-hole frame or weak places other than the lap-seam. But such cracks ought to have been discovered at the inspection, which I understand was made within a year.

If it is true, as reported, that the steam was heard blowing off during the night before, it would indicate that the safety valve was in good condition, for had the blowing off been due to a crack the engineer would have observed it and discovered the crack when he started up in the morning, and instantly shut down.

Cracks Should Have Been Discovered.

But if violent blowing off had been heard the day before, so much so as to attract unusual attention, it might be an indication that the safety valve had been stuck and that the pressure had run up and the safety valve suddenly opened, in which case the sudden disturbance may have weakened the boiler so much that when the boiler started in the morning, after lying idle, it could not then stand the strain.

The incoming Legislature will have no excuse on the question of time, and should take this matter up at once and pass stringent laws relating to the inspection of this type of boiler, with a view to its immediate retirement. It is merely a question of a few hundreds to $1,000 against the lives of those working over and around the boilers.

BOILER WAS CRACKED SAYS THE ENGINEER

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brance at all of what happened during the next two hours."

No more was made toward putting the engineer under arrest. Chief Barckes said that he would take no action until he was ordered to do so by Chief Shaw of the State Police Department. Chief Shaw is awaiting the report of Chief Joseph H. McNeill of the Boiler Inspection Department, who is here, with his assistant, Charles Ferguson, and two boiler experts, making a thorough investigation to ascertain just how the explosion occurred and to place the blame where it belongs.

MAY BE NO ARRESTS.

"There will be no arrest in the matter," said Chief Barckes. "So far as I am concerned, if there is any at all, until the report reaches the chief of police. If there is any arrest I presume that I will be called upon to make it. The engineer told me his story in a straightforward way."

The chief added that he did not believe that any bodies would be found in the ruins. Chief McNeill of the boiler inspection department said that he expected it would take him a couple of days to finish his investigation. He would then, he said, report to Chief Shaw.

A great crowd gathered to-day at the scene of the disaster. The police have a detail on the spot to keep those who have no business at the ruins out of the way of the workers. The highway department, under the direction of Mayor Barney, is searching the ruins to make sure that no bodies are there.

The Mayor will start a fund shortly for the help of the poor people who have suffered from the fire. Arrangements have been made to pay off all of the hands who were thrown out of work in the middle of next week. Attempts are being made to-day to get the safes out of the debris.

TO DIG O'ER RUINS.

Water was played on the smoking ruins all last night, in an attempt to get them cool so that the work of digging them over could go on without delay.

Detectives have made a canvass as far as possible of all houses and boarding houses in the city, but have heard of no one missing. The fact that there were several new hands at the factory makes this work more difficult, and all are not yet located.

Mayor Barney to-day began active steps for relief of those who are suffering from the fire. The first step will be to care for the eleven families whose entire effects were lost when the flames jumped across the street and wiped out their homes.

The Manufacturers Association, a body of shoe men, will try and place the 1,200 hands thrown out of work by the burning of the Harney and Tuft & Friedman factories. It is believed that most of them can be placed on extra work in other factories.

Chief Davis of the fire department and Chief Barckes of the police were the first on hand to-day. They were at the head of a large body of men who began at once to probe the ruins. A force of about 500 men was put on by Harney Brothers to assist this work.

WILL RE-BUILD PLANT.

Harney Brothers announce that they will rebuild in this city at once. A plant to cost about $300,000, with a large brick building, will be constructed.

At the present time the damage to all who suffered by the fire is placed at $500,000. Most of this is covered by insurance. The property destroyed is:

P. J. Harney Shoe Co.	$250,000
J. H. Owens box factory	30,000
Tufts & Friedman shoe factory	150,000
Boston & Maine, West Lynn depot	1,000
R. V. Russell paper box factory	20,000
Eleven small cottages	15,000

ONE WOMAN MAY DIE.

Twenty-one persons are injured, about half of whom are at the hospital. One woman may die.

Celia Tarczmarcz, who is at the Lynn Hospital with a fractured skull and concussion of the brain, was employed by the firm of Tufts & Friedeman, and had just hung her hat on the hook beside her bench when the explosion threw her against the opposite wall.

One of the workmen hurrying to the door stumbled across the girl as she lay there unconscious, and carried her outside.

The fact that so few were injured in the disaster and that nobody was killed is looked upon in Lynn as something bordering on the miraculous, and is attributed largely to the fact that the whistle had not been blown for the day's toil to open. Had the accident occurred an hour later, when the entire force of thousands was at work in both factories nothing would have prevented a terrible loss of life.

BOILER AN OLD ONE.

Several theories were advanced as to the cause of the accident, the principal one being the lack of pressure. The more reasonable theory is that there was a defective seam in the casing of the boiler, and had spread until the explosion came. J. P. J. Harney, the senior partner of the concern, says that his boiler had been inspected last October by the Hartford Steam Boiler Insurance Company.

The fireman, Edward Wagner, states that the water pressure in the boiler was all right early in the morning. He could also give no cause for the explosion, except that some of the seams might have split, or there was a flaw in some of the parts of the casing.

The boiler itself was twenty-three years old, and was built at the Cunningham Iron Works, South Boston, and was insured by the Hartford Steam Boiler Insurance Company. It was of the 72-inch, three-course type and contained ninety-three three-inch tubes.

In connection with the boiler, Mrs. Alice E. Lee, who is a forewoman, and was in the factory at the time of the explosion, tells a peculiar story. She states that on Wednesday she heard a repeated thumping of the boiler, acting in a manner that she had never known before, and she remarked to another floor woman on the same floor that she wondered if anything was the matter with the boiler or engine.

GADSKI'S ONLY SONG RECITAL ON MONDAY

Mme. Johanna Gadski, whose popularity in Boston shows no signs of waning with the passing Winters, will give only one song recital here this season. That will take place in Symphony Hall next Monday afternoon, and the usual big throng of her admirers will doubtless pour into the hall to hear her sing classical songs by German composers, with original English text, modern miscellaneous selections and modern German songs.

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Siberian Natural Gray Squirrel Sets

Pillow shape muff, satin lined through. Worth $15.00.

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This 3.50 Net Waist

1.98

For Saturday we offer another lot of $3.50 Net Waists, lined with Jap silk. Saturday

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"BUSTER" AND TIGE IN ACTION—GET THE MOVING PICTURES In Next Sunday's Boston American

BATTLE ON TO END HARRIMAN BIG MONOPOLY

Government to Investigate Alleged Land Grabbing in the West.

MILLIONS ARE INVOLVED

By Boston American Leased Wire.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—The Government took the first step yesterday in a movement which, it is expected, will dissolve the giant Harriman railway merger in the West and Southwest and bring to the bar of justice many landholders and railway jobbers who so far through political influence have secured immunity. At least one high official in the Interior Department and a cabinet officer, it is believed, will ultimately be entangled in the scandal.

This investigation is expected to lay bare astounding facts as to wholesale robbery and high-handed pillage in the West and Southwest in which the Harriman roads have been the main agents and government employes silent. It is considered the most important examination ever undertaken by the Government along these lines, and will in the end, it is believed, dwarf the dissolution of the famous Northern Securities Corporation.

It may possibly, so it is said, explain some political changes which at present are supposed to be voluntary and prove them the exact opposite. It will further, it is believed, break up the Harriman monopoly in the West and Southwest.

The plans for this far-reaching investigation were laid at a full meeting of the Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday. The following official statement from the Interstate Commerce Commission gives an inkling of what it is proposed to do:

"The Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered an investigation of the relations between the Union Pacific and Southern Pacific railway systems, growing out of their common management and control. Frank H. Kellogg and C. A. Severance of St. Paul, have been retained to take charge of the investigation, which will extend from New York to San Francisco."

20 DROWNED IN CLIFTON FLOOD

MORENCI, Ariz., Dec. 7.—The damage done by the latest Clifton flood is now estimated at nearly $1,000,000. Over twenty houses were swept away, and between fifteen and twenty persons drowned, most of them Mexicans. The town probably will be moved to higher ground.

Read the great poem by Ella Wheeler Wilcox in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. She sings her sweetest in these charming, new verses.

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Opportunity to See the Best Plays in Boston Without Expense.

INTENSE interest is being shown by the public in the contest for Free Theatre tickets, in which readers of the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN are winners. Ten winners have written letters thanking the SUNDAY AMERICAN for the opportunity they have had to visit the best theatres free of cost, because they have been patient and clever enough to pick out from the advertisements appearing in the SUNDAY AMERICAN the words that comprise familiar quotations.

They have seen the best of current dramatical entertainments and had good reserved seats. The quotations have not been hard to pick out, because the words comprising them are compound, as a rule, and printed upside down to aid the search.

It is a contest in which everybody can take part. To the twenty persons making the best list, free theatre tickets are given. Readers who enter into the competition, which requires only eyesight, ability to read and a close scrutiny of the classified ads, should pick out the words carefully and send the list to the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN office. If they win they can have two reserved seats in any theatre which advertises in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN.

LABOR NEWS

ALLIED PRINTING TRADES UNION LABEL COUNCIL BOSTON, MASS. 96

The Carpenters' District Council received a communication from Attorney-General Malone last night giving a ruling on the State eight-hour law, which, the carpenters' officials assert, practically renders the law of no value. It was voted to have the legal advisers of the council take action against those employers who are violating the eight-hour law, and draft amendments to the State law.

Many replies containing suggestions have been received from employers by Carpenters' District Council No. 33, Brooklyn and Vicinity regarding the demands for a Saturday half-holiday during the year, and forty-five cents an hour, to go into effect next May.

Nominations for business agent were received. Colin W. Cameron, the present incumbent, is nominated by Boston Carpenters' Union No. 33, Brooklyn Union No. 438 and Wharf and Bridge Builders' Union No. 1,230; H. McKay, East Boston Union No. 218; and E. C. Pinkham, by Somerville Union No. 1,370. Nominations will be kept open until December 15.

A separate charter was denied the boat builders at the Charlestown Navy Yard, and they were advised to enter any carpenters' union. A scale of prices to go into effect in shops and mills was adopted, and will be submitted to the manufacturers and master carpenters the coming week.

Officials of the council reported that agreements had been reached with several employers during the past week whereby union conditions would prevail on two large jobs—one in Brookline and the other at Revere Beach. The council officials are much interested in a floor-laying machine which is being introduced, and is considering prohibiting union men working where these machines are installed. A referendum vote will be taken on the matter of adopting a new law prohibiting a man who works during the day from working overtime at night for another employer.

It was voted not to allow union carpenters to set up a bar at a saloon on Eliot street which was built in an unfair shop in South Boston, and the plumbers and sheet metal workers were requested to take similar action. Information was received from international headquarters that the firm of Brunswick-Balke-Callender Company had been taken off the unfair list. The referendum vote on the matter of affiliating with the Building Trades Section of the Central Labor Union has not yet been completed.

PRESIDENT DART RE-ELECTED.

Joseph A. Dart was re-elected president of Franklin Association No. 48 of Printing Pressmen last night. John H. Sheehan defeated John J. Cosgrove for re-election as vice-president. The other officers chosen were:

Recording secretary, John H. Murphy; sergeant-at-arms, James Stewart; board of directors, George Carroll, James J. Conley, Harry Holler, Lewis Lowenburg and Ignatius Belcastro; delegates to the Allied Printing Trades Council, Michael S. Cooney, Daniel J. McDonald and Michael O'Connor; delegates to the Boston Central Labor Union, James J. Conley, C. S. Cooney, John J. Cosgrove, Joseph A. Dart, Daniel J. McDonald, Lewis Lowenburg, Henry D. Ross, Daniel J. Sullivan and Stephen A. Welch.

KNEELAND RALLY TONIGHT.

A rally in the interests of Alderman Fred J. Kneeland, independent candidate for re-election, will be held under the auspices of his wage-earning friends tonight at Dexter Hall, No. 987 Washington street. Secretary-Treasurer M. D. Driscoll of the State Branch, A. F. of L., will preside, and among the speakers will be President Edward Usher of the State Branch, A. F. of L., President John E. Potts of the Central Wage Earners' Club, President A. M. Huddell and Secretary Henry Abrahams of the Central Labor Union, and Past President Martin T. Joyce of the Central Labor Union.

LABOR NOTES.

Machinists Lodge No. 264 elected tells for the election of officers last night. The polls will remain open until next Thursday.

J. E. McMinn has been re-elected business agent of Metal Polishers' Union.

The eighth annual concert and ball of Shoe Manufacturers' Lodge No. 17 will be held tonight at Paine Memorial Hall, Boylston street. Tickets are $1.50 per head, and will be redeemed at the door. Dancing will begin at 9 o'clock.

Municipal ownership will be the subject of an address by L. W. E. Kimball of Electrical Workers' Union No. 96, at a meeting of the Wage Earners' Club tonight in Parnell Hall, Bridgewater.

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Latest Report from the Mine

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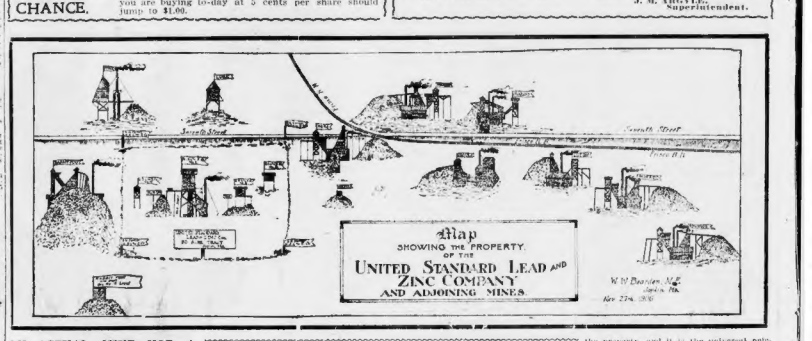
Many mines in this district are now running, and all will not run over 3 per cent, and 4 per cent, and are paying good dividends to the stockholders.

I am more confident every day that we have one of the finest things in the Joplin district, and it is bound to be a great winner when we get mills running.

Yours truly,
J. M. ARGYLE,
Superintendent.



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No. 1 shows face 35x20 ft.....700 sq. ft.
No. 2 shows face 25x20 ft.....500 sq. ft.
No. 3 shows face 8x15 ft.....120 sq. ft.
No. 4 shows face 14x30 ft.....420 sq. ft.
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BANKERS WILL VOUCH FOR US.

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Such a remarkable record as this would make you rich, would make your stock worth par. Yes, more than par.

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J. B. RIDDELL, Kansas City, Mo., Vice President. Former General Freight Agent Kansas City, Fort Scott & Memphis Railway. Personally refers to New England National Bank, Kansas City, Mo., Fidelity Trust Company, Kansas City, Mo.

J. E. PEARSON, Joplin, Mo., Secretary. Formerly partner of Graham & Pearson, sales; Grocery Co. Now in wholesale cigar business. Personally refers to Miners' Bank, Joplin, Mo.

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Yours very truly,
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Yours truly,
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NEWSPAPER TRAPS SLAYER

DAYTON, O., Dec. 7.—The slayer of Dora Gilman has been brought to justice by a staff representative of a Cincinnati newspaper, who continued work after the authorities had virtually admitted defeat.

David Curtis, twenty-seven years old, a clerk, was arrested last night on information furnished by the newspaper, and he confessed. He said that he rode on the same car with Dora Gilman on the night that she was slain, and left the car at the corner. He then took the girl's umbrella away from her, and choked her to death. He says that she never uttered a cry. After he had killed her, he carried her body over to the Common, he said.

Curtis had been at work in Dayton since the murder.

WYNDHAM TO STAY ON STAGE.

LONDON, Dec. 7.—Sir Charles Wyndham denies the reports that he is to retire from the stage.

"L" TIED UP BY "DEAD" TRAIN; MANY IN PERIL

Refusal of the motors of an "L" train to exert sufficient impetus for pushing those to work to-day died up traffic on the Boston Elevated for over half an hour during the busiest "rush" hour of the day, a train of five cars southbound becoming "dead" just as its two motor cars arrived opposite the Scollay square station. It is believed the blowing out of a fuse caused the motors to shut down.

For eighteen or twenty minutes the train stood dead on the tracks at the station, and traffic over the entire system was soon stagnated. During this time great crowds jammed the platforms of the Dewey street and Sullivan square terminals and at intermediate stations, while in the meantime working desperately to further to the front into the train pit and "dead" in its instant and the motorman and train crew were helpless.

Owing to the fact that two of the cars of the train stopped opposite the platform, passengers who wished to alight at the station were able to do so, and many walked through the cars and took surface cars to their destinations.

No one was injured, but the guards had the most strenuous half-hour that they have had in many a long day in preventing trouble.

The shut-down of traffic happened at about 8.25, just as the southbound "L" train swung around the sharp curve to Scollay square station. The cars went "dead" in an instant and the motorman

ENGINE RIDE CAUSED DEATH

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., Dec. 7.—Dock Edwards of Williamstown, the old man who last Saturday night was picked up by a Boston & Maine engine and carried five miles to this city in eight minutes on the pilot, and whose only injuries at the time were found to be a cut on one leg, died suddenly to-day at his home in Williamstown. The physicians believe that death was caused by the shock of the accident. Edwards was seventy-six years of age and had lived in Williamstown for many years. He was a well known character.

TRAIN CREW TO GO BEFORE GRAND JURY

MIDDLEBURY, Indiana, Dec. 7.—The crew in charge of the gravel train which crashed into the mixed train at Vergennes one week ago today, killing four and wounding a score of others, was brought here last night to appear before the Grand Jury now in session here.

8 INCENDIARY BLAZES; HUNDREDS IN PANIC

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The lives of many hundreds of persons were endangered early to-day and throughout the night by eight incendiary fires in the neighborhood of Columbus avenue and One Hundred and Third street, which put the entire section in an uproar of excitement and caused more than 1,000 men, women and children to lie awake guarding their homes.

The terror, appeared from Central Park west to Broadway, and the occupants of a score of fashionable apartment houses kept watch until the reserves of the West One Hundredth Street station had been scattered throughout the four-o'clock district. Five alarms were sounded within two hours, and as fire after fire started panic followed, and acting chief Binns summoned aid from various parts of the city.

Three of the blazes were in Columbus avenue between One Hundred and Second and One Hundred and Third streets. In a row of five-story flat houses. So intense did the excitement become that women with children in their arms fled from their homes and into the street, where they remained until daylight.

Two men suspected of knowing something about the blazes were captured by Colonel William Bennett of the National Guard, and W. S. Hough of the No. 203 West One-hundred and Third street, but after they had been safely locked in the West 100th street station, the seventh fire was discovered and then the eighth. Both of these had been set on the inside in and out of hallways and after each blaze the engines went and hold a long consultation.

$50,000 FIRE IN WALPOLE

WALPOLE, Dec. 7.—Damage amounting to $50,000 was caused here by fire early to-day, when the main building of the Bradford Locke & Son paper mills were burned. The loss is covered by insurance. The cause of the fire is unknown.

SPECIAL NOTICE.

Personal

Mrs. A. Shaw of Haverhill, Mass., was cured of lung trouble and her daughter built up by Father John's Medicine.

Mr. E. J. McQuade of 1 Broadway N. Y. city, gained five pounds taking Father John's Medicine.

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Postal Card Album Holding 150 Cards, 25c

Finest album made to sell for 50c—cloth bound, beautiful stamped cover design. An ideal gift.

Our own importations of postal card albums at a great saving. In all styles of binding from cloth to leather, holding from 50 cards to 1000, prices from 15c to $6.50. These books were picked up by our foreign agent who has given us exclusive designs.

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1 box containing 24 sheets of paper, fabric finish and envelopes to match, tied with ribbon, in beautiful holly designed box, excellent present, value 50c. Sale price..... 39c

Christmas stationery—A splendid assortment of cabinets containing from 1 to 5 quires paper and envelopes. Prices ranging from 25c to $4.50.

Wonderland

More attractions in our toy store than any other in New England—See the Humpty Dumpty circus—Santa Claus and his real, live reindeer—The doll house—The Bear that plays the drum — The Great Mechanical and Electric Exhibit—The wonderful Pony Electric Automobile, a real electric auto for children. Bring the children to Wonderland.

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SATURDAY SPECIAL — Imported Jewel Box, lined with satin and design on glass, hinge top, body of filigree, gold plate metal, a most useful as well as ornamental gift. 50c Value 75c, special at.

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Contains 1 No. 2 Brownie kodak and roll film for six pictures; 1 mual daylight developing tank; also complete chemical outfit for daylight developing and completely finishing pictures, all special at..... $4

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Loads and unloads in broad daylight just like the roll films, but has this additional advantage—you can develop and finish picture by picture as you take it, instead of waiting until all are taken. Size of pictures, 2½x3½. Special at..... $4.50

Non focusing box style Flexo Kodaks for 3 1-2x3 1-2 pictures. $5.00

Box and folding Brownie kodaks, $1.00, $2.00, $5.00 and $9.00.

Complete line Folding Pocket Kodaks at $6.00 to $35.00.

Athletic Goods — Superb Christmas Gifts

$2.00 Vim Grade Whitely Exerciser, with physical culture instruction chart. See our athlete demonstrate it, special $1.49
Others up to $3.98

Men's Full Size Boxing Gloves, lace palm, extra well made, each set in a neat box, per set of four $1.25
Others up to $5.95

Double End Style Punching Bag, can be attached in any room, compact, noiseless and durable, a specially fine bag with all necessary attachments ready to be put up. Special at $1.25
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New assortments constantly coming in—our stock is the most complete in New England, prices the lowest—Expert demonstration and instruction without charge.

Our Beginners' Outfits make excellent Christmas gifts—every article fully guaranteed — special for outfit complete 89c

Our EE Outfit is the most prosperous manufacturing outfit; handsome, heavy platform points—6 bottles stains and varnish—everything guaranteed, at..... $2.95

Others at $3.50, $4.50, $4.95 and $5.75

Boys' and Children's Boxing Gloves

Set of 4 Gloves—They are harmless, amusing and teach quickness of eye and agility, padded with the best curled hair, $1.25 value, at 95c
Others up to $1.75

A Rugby Football, all leather, finely pebbled grain, full regulation size, $1.00 value, special at... 75c
Others up to $1.00

A Striking Bag Platform and bag complete, everything full size, of best grade, $4.50 value. Special at the $2.75

Henry Siegel Co.—Third Floor, Essex Street Side.

Sale of Toys, Dolls and Games

Extra salespeople are here to wait upon the tremendous crowds at this wonderful sale in Wonderland on Saturday. This sale is planned to relieve the tremendous crowds of the last few days before Christmas.

OUR $1 DOLL—Best doll in New England for $1—blonde or brunette, waving curls, full jointed, 22-inch, bisque head, moving eyes, shoes and stockings, special $1.00

DOLLS' BEAVER HATS, red, white, blue and brown..... 50c

DOLLS' FUR SETS, muff and neckpiece 50c

DOLLS' FEATHER FANS, white feathers, with white sticks..... 25c

JEWELRY SETS of 5 pieces; shopping bag, bracelets, earrings, necklace, neck pins..... 35c

DOLLS' DRESS, lace trimmed, gingham and muslin..... 50c

HUMPTY DUMPTY CIRCUS, consisting 2 clowns, elephant, 8mal, 2 chairs 2 ladders, 2 stands and barrel. The METEOR GAME, for making animals, geometrical designs, etc..... 25c to $3.00

DOLL CARRIAGE, wicker frame upholstered, parasol top, $1.25

VELOCIPEDES—Will make anybody happy, at 98c

SET GILT DOLL HOUSE FURNITURE, 9 pieces. $1.00

BUILDING BLOCKS, the 25c to $9.00 standard instruction blocks.

STATIONARY STEAM ENGINE, a practical model..... $1.50

SAW MILL—A large assortment of mechanical connections, emery wheel, sawmill, etc..... 25c to $5.00

CHILD'S BUREAU, white enamel floral decorations, oval mirror, brass handles $2.25

SIDEBOARDS, with glass mirror 50c

EASEL BLACKBOARD, with desk, form and revolving pictures of animals and objects..... $1.00

ELECTRIC TROLLEY RAILROAD, 3 No. 1 cars, 2 dry cells, 1 set track and ties, 2 rail connections, full directions..... $2.39

ELECTRIC MAGNET ENGINE, same style as Carlisle steam engine..... 59c

14-IN. DRESSED DOLL, moving eyes, flowing curls, dressed in silk muslin, large lace trimmed hats, shoes and stockings to match. 59c

14-IN. CLOTH DOLLS, dressed in surah and ginghams, bonnets to match, indestructible. 25c

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DOLL HOUSE FURNITURE, complete set in box, style for every room ..... 50c to $2.00

Musical Drums, played without sticks, 50c and $1.00

DOLLS' WHITE ENAMEL Rocking Chair, brass trimmed, 69c

ENAMEL TEA SET, 4 pieces 50c

SKIN COW, on stand, moving head..... 50c

STABLE, with horse, team and hay loft..... 50c

SHEEP FIELD, 9 sheep, a dog and a shepherd... 50c

WOODEN SOLDIERS, 12 in a box, with stand..... 25c

10-INCH TEDDY BEAR, specially priced..... $1.00

NURSERY ARK, extra large size, finely painted, complete with animals..... 25c

Henry Siegel Co.—Third Floor, Hayward Place Side.

$22 Kuppenheimer Overcoats $15.50

The introduction of the Kuppenheimer clothing into Boston has made this one of New England's leading clothing stores. Kuppenheimer clothing for years has been recognized as the peer of ready-for-service men's clothing—and can be compared only with the highest class tailor made to measure suits and overcoats.

These $22.00 Overcoats at $15.50 can be equalled only at the shop of the best tailors, where you would pay at least $30.00 and up to $35.00. They are the finest black Kerseys in regular and stout sizes.

The famous Kuppenheimer system of tailoring, in which the clothing is all fitted to living models of every known shape and size—combined with the Henry Siegel organization of four great stores—has given to the well dressed man what may be properly termed tailor made clothing at the cost of ordinary ready-to-wear suits and overcoats.

Our suits and overcoats, ranging in price from $9.50 up to $35.00, enable any man to be properly fitted and positively satisfied with his purchase at a saving of from one-third to one-half the prices he has been accustomed to paying. We are always ready to show our clothing, and you are under no obligation to buy.

Men's Suits $9.50
Regular Price $12

Men's all-wool scotches and black cheviot suits, in both double breasted and single breasted, all cut 31 inches long with deep centre vests, perfect fitters, every suit a splendid trade at $12.00, now $9.50

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Regular Price $15

All wool, black kersey, oxford and cheviot overcoats, all with silk velvet collars, loose or form fitting, cut 44 inches long, with the broad shoulders, a splendid styled garment, every coat a winner at..... $11.50

Boys' Suits $3.95
Regular Price $5

Boys' 3-piece suits in stripes and plaids in all the new scotches; also sailor and Russian, in serges, cheviots and worsteds, ages from 3 to 16 years, a grand $5.00 value at..... $3.95

Henry Siegel Co.—Third Floor, Essex Street Side.

Important Notice to Men

And to women who desire to select a suitable but inexpensive gift.

Combination Suspender Sets 50c

Sold exclusively in Boston by Henry Siegel Co.

We absolutely control all of these Suspender Sets that come to Boston, and although they are really worth $1.00, our price is but 50c. The set consists of a pair of excellent quality Suspenders in designs that men like best—also a pair of hose supporters and a pair of arm bands—put up in a Christmas box for 50c. Recently we sold over one thousand sets in one day. We have ten thousand sets for this sale beginning tomorrow, and we will sell them as long as they last at 50c

Wright's Health Underwear . . 69c

Not second grades, but are absolutely perfect in every detail. We advertised a good sized lot for the Monday sale and they did not begin to last the day through, but for this sale we have secured tremendous quantities in all sizes and Saturday will be the biggest day of the year in this section. Wright's Health Underwear is acknowledged by men all over America to be the best and healthiest underwear that is manufactured. Special price, per garment..... 69c

Henry Siegel Co.—Main Floor, Essex Street Side.

Sheet Music Sale, 8c.

Concert All Day Saturday. Mr. Max Dreyfus (pianist) and Mr. Eugene C. Lesser (violinist), well-known composers of Cupid's Garden, In Roseland, etc., will demonstrate in Sheet Music Department (third floor).

Cupid's Garden (instrumental and vocal). When You Were Sweet Sixteen. Bells the Day Goodby. Just Because It Rained. My Dear. When the Tide of Loving If You Can Love All the Time. Some Day When Dreams Come True. Just a Little Rocking Chair and You. Is Your Mother In, Mollie Malone? Mr. Maryland. Mr. Moonlight. Ain't You Get Nothing to Say? (Coon.)

Asyah, Wanna. In Roseland. (Instrumental.) Waiting at the Church. My Chum Dear. Morning Day. When the Hancock Built for Two. Beside the Old Oak Gate. Cherry. Dream Girl Waltzes. La Scuella. Stringberry. When the Flowers Bloom in the Springtime. Molly Dear. Katie. Meeting Time. Ain't You Coming Back to Old New Hampshire, Mother?

Colleen Bawn. Like the Rose. Under the Palms. Flower. Someone Has God in Something. Wine. Would You Buy a Paper, Mr. Irish Rose. I Want to Call You Mine. Pekoe. Barrine. Serenade. The Old Pine Mill. All Most Me at Twilight. Little Miss Muffet. I'll Make a Sweetheart. (Tuesday.)

Special Hits From "Belle of Mayfair," 15c.
(Leslie Stuart's New Musical Comedy.)

Why Do They Call Me a Gibson Girl? Come to Me, George's. And the Weeping Willow Wept. Where You Go Will I Go. I Know a Girl. Hello, Come Along Girls.

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Henry Siegel Co.—Third Floor, Essex Street Side.

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CHOCOLATE AND VANILA CREAM SPONGE CAKES—Made hourly in our Daylight Bakery, each..... 20c

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JELLY ROLLS—Nothing but the very best of materials used, each..... 10c

LADY FINGERS — Macaroons and Kisses, fresh every day, doz..... 12c

WE WILL SELL the celebrated Wonderful Blend of COFFEE on saturday for lb..... 20c

GRAPE FRUIT—Large size, thin skin Floridas, doz. 98c; each..... 9c

ORANGES—Large size, nice juicy Indian River roasts, special, doz..... 24c

SAUSAGES—Breakfast Pure Pork Arlington, put up in neat packages weighing about 2 lbs..... 18c

MINCE MEAT in bulk, ordering for the best of materials used for same, per pound 5c 55c, per pound 5c 18c

Henry Siegel Co.—Fifth Floor, Hayward Place Side.

WHAT ACTRESSES NOW IN HUB SAY ABOUT STAGE EMBRACES.

The stage kiss is a matter of business, utterly without sentiment. A man who plays the passionate lover must play the part with some passion.—*Blanche Bates.*

Is a real kiss ever necessary? You might as well ask if it is necessary to cough on the stage when you are supposed to have a cold.—*Elsie Janis.*

Stage kisses are like the wearing of tights, as necessary as they are meaningless.—*Gertrude Quinlan.*

I never worry about who's going to kiss me or how he's going to do it, so long as it makes a hit.—*Louise Ford.*

FOR HIS TOO, TOO ARDENT KISSES, LENA ASHWELL DISMISSES ACTOR

Miss Lena Ashwell.
Photo by Sarony.

JOHN BLAIR.

Star of "Shulamite" Gets New Leading Man Because John Blair Would Not Cool Embraces.

Actor Says No Man Who Loves a Woman Kisses Her as If She Was His Widowed Aunt.

JOHN BLAIR, leading man for Lena Ashwell in "The Shulamite," which closes its run in New York Saturday night and is to be brought to Boston on Monday, has been replaced by Guy Standing because Miss Ashwell objected to the ardor and realism of his kisses.

Mr. Blair is one of the best-known actors in the country. He has been playing the role of Warling, the English overseer, in "The Shulamite," ever since it opened in America. He is compelled by the situations in the play to repeatedly kiss Miss Ashwell. She has often, it is said, objected to his manner of doing so, asserting that his osculation is too closely patterned after that of Olga Nethersole.

Mr. Blair's response has been that he would not spoil the realism of his impersonation by permitting his kiss to cool.

"Warling is supposed to love Deborah passionately," he is said to have declared, "and no man who loves a woman passionately kisses her as though she were his widowed aunt."

After this conversation Miss Ashwell complained to the Shubert, her managers, with the result that Mr. Blair will be replaced by Guy Standing on Saturday and will be made leading man for Miss Nazimova, whose play does not require any kissing to be done.

Leading actresses now playing at the theatres in Boston disagree on the subject of whether stage kisses should be realistic or not. Most of them, however, declare that they regard a kiss on the stage in the same light as they regard the mere getting up from a chair—a matter of stage business, without import so long as it impresses the audience as being lovable.

THOMAS MEIGHAN and EVELYN VAUGHAN

Principals in Stage Kiss Controversy, and the Kind of Footlight Smack Used in "The College Widow."

Says Blanche Bates:

"IT seems to me as absurd to take the stage kiss seriously as it would be for the actor to say that he had satisfied his appetite by pretending to eat a paper mache chicken," said Blanche Bates to the BOSTON AMERICAN reporter. "The stage kiss is a matter of business, utterly without sentiment, and since the touching of lips without sentiment means no more than the touching of fingers, I can't quite see the reason for Miss Ashwell's annoyance. It seems to me that Mr. Blair is quite right in his contention that a man who plays the passionate lover must play the part with some passion."

Says Elsie Janis:

LITTLE Elsie Janis was seen in her dressing room at the Colonial Theatre yesterday. "Of course I don't know anything about the facts of this case," said she, "but it seems to me that it would be no easy matter for an actor to make himself objectionable to the woman with whom he is playing. Often this has been the means of gratifying a spite, and of course a star is quite within her rights when she demands a change in her company for such a reason. Mr. Blair, however, is a studious and intelligent young fellow, and I can't imagine him doing anything that he thought unethical."

She was asked if she thought a real kiss is ever necessary on the stage—if a kiss could not be simulated without the actual contact of lips.

"You might as well ask if it is necessary to cough on the stage when you are supposed to have a cold or to ask whether it is necessary to kiss when you are supposed to be in love. Of course it is necessary, but I suppose it can be overdone," was her reply.

Says Gertrude Quinlan:

GERTRUDE QUINLAN of the "College Widow" company, takes another view of the matter, for she says:

"The story sounds to me as though there must be something below the surface. Stage kisses are as necessary as they are meaningless. It is like the wearing of tights. They are an improperty out of the theatre, but seems perfectly commonplace on the stage. Certainly there is no pleasure in them. You have heard the old couplet about 'Lips that touch wine shall never touch mine.' Well, the lips that have touched grease paint and had it harden on them are the last lips in the world that any human being would seek voluntarily."

Says Louise Ford:

IN the same company, Louise Ford, who plays the role of the chaperone, and is blessed a dozen or more times by a many different men, said simply:

"Stuff! I never think about it. It's part of the play; it is business, and it doesn't bother me a bit. If a man tried to get gay with me I'd give him as good as he sent and he'd soon get tired. A stage kiss doesn't mean anything, any more than when a stage hero says to the heroine, 'I love you.' In real life they may hate the sight of each other. I never worry about who's going to kiss me, or how he's going to do it. So long as it makes a hit with the audience, that is all that I or any of us care."

Stomach Sufferers Squander Millions

In Search of Relief.

The world is full of disordered stomachs, and 90 per cent. of the money spent upon physicians and drugs goes in an attempt to cure the stomach.

People are made to believe that in order to gain health they must doctor their stomachs and use cathartics. So the doctor gets his fee for the stomach treatment and the druggist for the physic, until the savings of a lifetime are exhausted and yet no cure.

Let's be reasonable.

The sick stomach is in every case the result of over-eating, hurried mastication and improper choice of foods. The mucous lining all the way down the food tract loses its sensitiveness, and when food is forced down the muscles fail to respond. They do not churn the food as they should. The glands no longer give out gastric juice to dissolve the food and render it capable of assimilation. The man has become a dyspeptic.

There is one sure way and only one to bring positive relief. Put into that stomach of yours the very elements that it lacks to get that food into liquid form. It takes pepsin, diastase, golden seal and other ferments to accomplish this. The healthy stomach contains these elements. The dyspeptic stomach lacks part or all of them. Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets is made up of just what the dyspeptic stomach lacks—nature's digestives.

Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets are not a medicine, not a drug, not a cathartic. They do not cure anybody of anything but Dyspepsia and Indigestion and such ailments as arise from poorly digested food.

While they digest the food the stomach recuperates. The mucous membrane is coming out of its stupor, the gastric juice is coming to the surface, the muscles are regaining their power. Every organ of the body takes on new life, the skin gains color, and the eyes are no longer tinged with yellow. You live.

Why doctor and why drug yourself? Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will take care of your food while Nature cures you.

Try a box at your druggists, 50 cents. Or, if you prefer a free trial package before buying, send your name and address today. F. A. Stuart Co., 68 Stuart Bldg., Marshall, Mich.

ESCAPE FIRE IN NIGHT CLOTHES

NORTH ATTLEBORO, Dec. 7.—Fire in the Academy bowling alley building early today created a panic among the guests at the Emerson House, an adjoining building, and many fled to the street in their night clothes. No one was injured.

The fire damage amounted to about $5,000, and was sustained by E. R. Sage, owner of the alleys; W. H. Riley, proprietor of a cigar store, and Division No. 10, A. O. H., which has a hall in the building. The fire is supposed to have started from a cigarette stub.

THAW TRIAL OFF TO MARCH

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—The trial of Harry K. Thaw for the murder of Stanford White will not begin until March or April next unless District Attorney Jerome consents to rearrange his court calendars.

Yesterday Mr. Jerome received notice from Clifford W. Hartridge, one of Thaw's counsel, that he would withdraw the motion for the appointment of a commission argued on Monday last, thereby hoping, it was said, to secure an early trial for his client, but now that the calendars have been prepared it is not likely that his hopes will be realized.

SAVE CREW ON BOSTON SHIP

GLOUCESTER, Dec. 7.—The British steamer Nanette, Captain A. T. Hunter, salt laden, from Trapani, Italy, arrived here today having on board Captain Lewis Holmes of Eastport, Me., and six of the crew of the three-masted schooner A. P. Emerson of Boston, which was dismasted and sunk off Cape Sable last Monday, after forty-eight hours buffetting with a terrible storm. The crew of the Emerson was taken off their vessel just as she was plunging to the bottom by the little schooner Oregon of Lunenburg, N. S. Afterward they were transferred and sent here on the Nanette.

The seamen who were rescued along with their captain from the sinking Boston schooner were: Arthur P. Redmond, mate, Boston; Stanage Publicover, 1st cent Beach, N. S.; John McCormack, Charlottetown, P. E. I.; William Smith, Idaho, and L. Swinson of New York.

The schooner A. P. Emerson was about thirty years old. Her managing owner was Herbert C. Hall of Boston. She was laden with coal for the Rockland Electric Company, Rockland, Me. She had come from South Amboy, N. J.

BUSINESS NOTICE.

CASTORIA
For Infants and Children.
The Kind You Have Always Bought
Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher

THE zenith of man's achievements is represented in "Mecca" —to it he goes for the fulfillment of all his desires. What better name could be given the greatest, most satisfying cigarette?

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You can't imagine how much better they are —but if you'll buy some then you'll *see for yourself* their large, full, oval shape and *taste for yourself* their mild, pleasant fragrance. Just try some! The greatest value ever given in cigarettes.

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Indigestion

Stomach trouble is not really a sickness, but a symptom. It is a symptom that a certain set of nerves is ailing. Not the voluntary nerves that enable you to walk and talk and act—but the AUTOMATIC STOMACH NERVES over which the mind has no control.

I have not room here to explain how these wonder, they nerves control and operate the stomach. How worry breaks them down and causes indigestion. How misuse wears them out and causes dyspepsia. How neglect may bring on kidney, heart, and other troubles through sympathy. I have not room to explain how these nerves may be reached and strengthened and vitalized and made stronger by a remedy I spent years in perfecting—now known by physicians and Druggists everywhere as Dr. Shoop's Restorative. (Tablets or Liquid.) I have not room to explain how this remedy, by removing the cause usually puts a certain end to indigestion, belching, heartburn, insomnia, nervousness, dyspepsia. All of these things are fully explained in the book I will send you free when you write. Do not fail to send for the book. It tells how the solar plexus governs digestion and a hundred other things every one ought to know—for all of us, at some time or other have indigestion. With the book I will send free my "Health Token"—an intended passport to good health.

For the free book and the Health Token send to-day. Address Dr. Shoop, Box 5806 Racine, Wis. Be sure to write which book you want.

Book 1 on Dyspepsia.
Book 2 on the Heart.
Book 3 on the Kidneys.
Book 4 for Women.
Book 5 for Men.
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Dr. Shoop's Restorative Tablets—give full three weeks' treatment. Each form—liquid or tablet—has equal merit. Druggists everywhere.

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'SALADA'
CEYLON AND INDIA TEA.

Read the great poem by Ella Wheeler Wilcox in the BOSTON SUNDAY AMERICAN. She sings her sweetest in these charming, new verses.

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It is easy to ask people one thousand miles away to visit a brewery. It sounds well—but how many people ever have an opportunity to accept the invitation? For over half a century we have brewed **Pfaff's Lager** right here in Boston, and we again repeat the invitation that we have always extended to visit our brewery. It is always open to the inspection of our patrons. Come and see for yourself what an important part cleanliness plays in the brewing of **Pfaff's Lager.** This, together with the best of materials and proper aging, make **Pfaff's** the most wholesome, healthful and the purest lager on the market. It has a rich flavor, which identifies it and prevents substitution among those who are acquainted with the genuine.

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80 Arch Street.
BOSTON
Telephone Main 6660

Pfaff's Lager

MAN KILLED BY TRAIN AT CROSSING

BURLINGTON, Vt., Dec. 7.—Charles Dompier, while driving across the railroad track near Barbourville, was struck by the flatland flyer and fatally injured. He was taken to Bellows Falls, where he died early in the evening.

No Worlds to Conquer

After Alexander the Great had subdued the warring nations of the earth he sent home to Greece three or four wealthy Persians. And the fame of Dr. Boschee's Vegetable Sirup had spread to all the lands on the civilized globe there was a new field of conquest for this remedy. The sirup has been done entirely in the German specialties, and the original formula established in 1865 suffering from consumption, colds and grip, bronchitis, catarrh, sore throat, asthma and the usual ailments that follow in the train of bad lung trouble.

As a blood purifier this sirup cannot be excelled in general. It goes into the blood and stomach, gives it vital force, strengthens the entire system, and thus overcomes the cause of the trouble. Druggist treatment, $1.00. All druggists.

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While we usually sell more Morris Chairs during the holidays than at any other season, still they are becoming more and more an all-year-round article of furniture. Serviceable, comfortable and moderate in price, they are ideal CHRISTMAS GIFTS. A glance through our stock may help you decide that perplexing question. "What shall I give?"

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WOMAN SET A TRAP; SAYS FRIEND IS THIEF

Publicly accusing her friend, Mrs. Mary A. Ball, as a thief, Mrs. Katherine Roberts, prominent in society and women's club work, appeared in the Malden District Court today and prosecuted Mrs. Ball and her pretty seventeen-year-old daughter on the charge of stealing two finger rings.

Mrs. Roberts said she placed an imitation diamond ring in plain sight when Miss Ball called, left her alone for a few minutes, and when she returned the ring had disappeared.

Despite the heated denials of Mrs. Ball and her daughter in court today, Judge Bruce found them guilty on the first count he imposed a fine of $50 and costs and on the second count $20 and costs. "I will give you until December 12 to pay the fines," said Judge Bruce, "or return the rings to Mrs. Roberts. I think you can produce the rings, and if you do so I may make a different disposition of the case."

The prosecution of Mrs. Ball, who is prominent socially, created a profound sensation in Everett, and the spectators' seats were crowded when the case was heard. Mrs. Ball and her daughter were fashionably gowned and accompanied to court by a number of women friends. Mrs. Roberts declined to discuss the case.

Mrs. Roberts lives at No. 107 Harvard street, Everett. She told Judge Bruce today that Mrs. Ball, who lives at No. 4 Lawrence street, called on her on October 14. She was accompanied by her daughter, Sarah. After they left, Mrs. Roberts missed a valuable diamond ring.

According to Mrs. Roberts, Mrs. Ball and her daughter made another social visit to the Roberts home on November 3. Mrs. Roberts placed a rhinestone ring in a sewing basket in her reception room. She left the room for a few minutes, leaving Miss Ball alone, and upon returning, she claims, the ring had disappeared.

DEATH TAKES 1-DAY WIDOW

Mourning over the death of her husband, William K. Styles, of No. 11 Franklin street, Malden, who died Wednesday at the Malden Hospital, Mrs. Styles died at her home yesterday of what is said to be a broken heart.

Mr. and Mrs. Styles were well known in Malden, and their friends are deeply grieved over their death. A double funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at their late home, No. 11 Franklin street.

$200,000 FIRE IN CEMENT PLANT

By Boston American Leased Wire.

PITTSBURG, Dec. 7.—Fire today destroyed the entire plant of the International Cement Company at Elizabeth, entailing a loss estimated at $200,000. The fire originated in the store room. In a few minutes the large works were a mass of flames. The company's fire department and the Elizabeth department fought hard but in less than two hours the plant was

Saturday Specials in 5c MUSIC

No Mail Orders Filled

"As the Days Go By," by the composer of "Sweetest Story Ever Told."
"Beneath the Old Oak Tree," beautiful ballad.
"La Sorella March," very popular.
"Autumn Leaves Waltzes."
"Little Indian Maid," march intermezzo.
"Zelda," intermezzo.
"Under the Stars and Stripes," march.

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From the World's Leading Shoe Manufacturers

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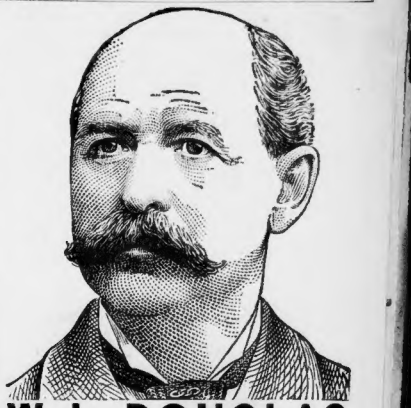

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W.L. DOUGLAS $4.00 GILT EDGE SHOE

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W. L. Douglas name and price is stamped on the bottom, which protects the wearer against high prices and inferior shoes. Take no substitute.

W. L. DOUGLAS BOYS' SHOES $1.75 AND $2.00. JUST THE SAME AS MY MEN'S $3.50 SHOES, THE SAME LEATHERS, FOR $1.75 AND $2.

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W. L. Douglas Shoe Stores in Boston:

635-637 Washington St. 291 Washington Street, cor. School. 120 Hanover Street.
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BOOST PRICE OF CANDY FOR HOLIDAY TRADE

Boston Dealers Say They Are Forced to Action by Increased Cost of Material.

Masculine devotion comes higher than ever this Christmas—the price of candy is going up in Boston.

Everything has gone, is going, or is going to go up, says the candy man; therefore, why not candy?

Manufacturers are raising the price because the prices of materials have been raised more or less on them. This applies especially to nut candies.

A leading manufacturer of Boston said today:

"Take pecans, for instance. I used to pay 45 cents a pound for them. Now I pay 75 cents. Chocolate and cocoa have gone up, also other materials."

Pecans $1 a Pound.

Boston retailers are not in line on the candy question, as they seem to be in New York. In the latter city there is a general movement to raise the price of candy an average of twenty cents a pound.

In Boston, however, not all of the dealers have raised all of their prices. But some of them have raised some of their prices and are planning to raise more.

One manufacturer and retailer in the heart of the shopping district, whose candies have gladdened many a Boston child at this Christmas season, charged 80 cents a pound for salted pecans last Christmas. This year you will have to give us even dollar for them.

And Almonds, Too.

The general line of this establishment's candies sells for 75 cents a pound. But there is a raise in prospect. This will apply to chocolates, bonbons and general "mixed" candies.

Salted almonds, which have sold for $1 a pound, are still at that rate, but the manufacturer says the profit is so small he would hardly notice it at all.

A general raise of 20 cents a pound in Boston candy would be disastrous to many a masculine pocket, which has been wont to replace money freely for Christmas eleve. But candy seems almost a necessity at this time of year especially, and necessities are waxing high.

The highest-grade, lowest-priced clothing that bears the Union Label is Morse-made.

If it's correct, it's at Morse's.
If it's at Morse's, it's correct.

It's always a good sign to see a man take a proper pride in his appearance. These days it's the overcoat you notice—and the most pleasing is the Morse-made kind.

We show overcoats in several designs, to meet the conservative taste, the desire for the extreme of fashion, or a pleasing medium between the two. In choosing the cloths we have considered both beauty of texture and the snug warmth one rough climate necessitates. Prices $10 to $50.

Every kind of suit for business or dress at prices in harmony with your requirements.

Open Saturday Until 10 P. M.

Leopold Morse & Co.

287-297 Washington Street Adams Square Corner Seattle Street

Miner & Beal's Clothing Stocks

Coming Forward in Fresh Supplies!

Boys' Clothing

Miner & Beal's "Little Giant" Suits, Reefers and Overcoats, always $5.00, special at . . 2.98

The Immensity of Our Purchase Means Assortments Yet Unbroken!

Miner & Beal, Boston's Leading Clothing Manufacturers For 45 Years.

We bought their entire clothing stock—an enormous and most ambitious purchase—at a spot cash price so favorable that nor score in a position to give clothing values so great last Boston has not seen the like for years.

NOTWITHSTANDING our fast and furious selling of Clothing of late, our assortments of the Miner & Beal stock are as yet complete. You must remember that we bought a whole establishment full of the finest clothing made, and in the ordinary run of business it would take several stores several months to dispose of stock. Act now, while assortments are yet unbroken, and secure

Your Winter's Clothing for a Mere Song!

8.75 Miner & Beal black or Oxford gray OVERCOATS, good weight fabrics, cut knee length, with backs lightly shaped, at 4.97.

12.00 Miner & Beal LONG OVERCOATS, all-wool materials, moisture proof, in blue and fancy mixtures, at 4.97.

Sale Price 4.97

10.00 Miner & Beal heavyweight, all-wool SUITS, sturdy materials put together to stand the wear, at 4.97.

12.00 and 15.00 Miner & Beal medium weight SUITS, very fine materials, serge lined, at 4.97.

7.50 men's SMOKING JACKETS, all-wool, double faced materials, in blue, brown and gray, silk trimmed, at 4.97.

Miner & Beal's 15.00 and 18.00 fine Melton and Kersey Winter OVERCOATS, in glossy blacks, rich blues, and staid oxfords, the latest models, up-to-date in every detail, at 9.97.

Miner & Beal's 18.00 and 20.00 long OVERCOATS, in snappy Scotches and plain friezes, venetian lined body and satin sleeves, better fitting garments than those were never offered at 9.97.

Sale Price 9.97

Miner & Beal's 18.00 heavyweight blue serge SUITS, venetian lined, 9.97.

Miner & Beal's 18.00 black clay and black thibet SUITS, serge lined, 9.97.

Miner & Beal's 18.00 fancy worsted SUITS, in a score of select patterns, choice picking for business wear, at 9.97.

Miner & Beal's 18.00 men's RAINCOATS, cravenettes of choicest texture, in colorings to please all fancies, at 9.97.

Remember, this is a wholesale stock you select from and not subject to the limitations of the ordinary retail stock.

Special at **6.75**, Miner & Beal's 18.00 Black Clay Suits, frock style only.
Special at **19.97**, Miner & Beal's Men's 35.00 and 40.00 Silk Lined Full Dress and Tuxedo Suits.

15.00 Miner & Beal black, blue and brown all-wool kersey and frieze OVERCOATS, venetian lined, at 7.47.

15.00 Miner & Beal long OVERCOATS, in fine all-wool materials, just the thing for cold snaps, at 7.47.

Sale Price 7.47

15.00 Miner & Beal men's SUITS, fancy worsteds and cassimeres, in choice patterns and all-wool black thibets, venetian lined, at 7.47.

15.00 Miner & Beal men's RAINCOATS, proofed by cravenette process, tan or oxford colorings, at 7.47.

10.00 Miner & Beal men's REEFERS, all-wool frieze, plaid lined and ulster collar, at 7.47.

Miner & Beal 20.00, 22.50 and 25.00 hand-tailored men's winter OVERCOATS in their finest meltons, kerseys, chinchillas and friezes, in medium length garments, with best venetian, satin or wool plaid linings and guaranteed satin sleeve linings. Regular models, French back models or paddocks.

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Miner & Beal 25.00, 28.00 and 30.00 long OVERCOATS. These fine garments are made from the choicest fabrics

Miner & Beal 20.00, 22.50 and 25.00 men's SUITS, hand-tailored, with all the characteristics of custom garments, these fine fabrics make into suits that are all that a man can desire.

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Special at **1.00**, Miner & Beal's 3.00 all-wool Vests.
Special at **1.98**, Miner & Beal's 3.50 all-wool Trousers, warranted.
Special at **1.29**, Men's 2.00 Stiff Hats.

—Dodge-Spear Clothing Store—Third Floor—

Free Theatre Tickets

For Sunday American Readers

An Easy and Pleasant Way to Get FREE Tickets

All you have to do is to find the words that form familiar quotations.

The quotation will be printed prominently in the SUNDAY AMERICAN, and the words contained in it inverted and scattered through the WANT ADS.

By reading these ads. you can easily find the words, as they will be upside down.

Make a list of the ads. containing the words and send it to this office. And to the twenty persons sending the best list we will send

Two Reserved Seat Tickets to Any Theatre They Will Select That Is Advertised in the Sunday American

For Illustration Take the Old Saying, "EVERY CLOUD HAS A SILVER LINING"

Find the Inverted Words in the Ads. Below

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Set solid, 12½c per line; displayed, 20c. per line.

SALESMEN—Wanted, one man in each city to distribute advertising plan; agreements enough for a year salesman to call; large salesman can clear $250 a month, and not interfere with regular line. R. S. LORD, 509, 511 South 10th st., Omaha, Neb.

BOARD AND ROOMS.

Set solid, 12½c per line; displayed, 20c. per line.

A PRIVATE FAMILY will board several business gentlemen; superior in every respect; all modern conveniences; steam heated, sunny, bel. service, fine meals; table service. P. 320, Boston American.

ALL KINDS clean, sunny rooms, hot water, min. from Dudley st. terminal, but away from noise. 47 Rodney st.

A GOOD ROOM CHEAP—Don't trail all day to find a room; we can locate you on any street you prefer in Boston; no charge to roomers. Call or write P. J. EVANS, 1-9 floor, 23 Devonshire st., Boston.

20 ELIGIBLE CASH places, look like new and are fully warranted: Williamson, $100; W. F. Miller, $150; Steinway, $175; Hinze, $90; Irving, $90; Lesh, $85; Mason, $100; Willard, $125; Steinway, $200; Hart, $175; Bacon, $45; Steinhardt, $90; Meinberg, $75; Fiberle, $100; cases in walnut, oak and mahogany; $10 cash and $5 per month; $125 cash or $135 sold on 2 years' easy payment. BLAKE'S, 564 Washington st., 3d floor.

MUSICAL INSTRUMENTS.

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UPRIGHT PIANO BARGAIN.

NEW mahogany piano, ebony finish, direct from factory; taken in trade, fashionable piano for parlor or reception room; $175 cash; easy payments. Call or write P. J. EVANS, 1-9 floor, 23 Devonshire st., Boston.

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HELP WANTED—MALE.

Set solid, 10c. per line; displayed, 20c. per line.

WANTED—A man over 21 years of age, of responsible advertising plan; agreements enough for a year salesman to call; large salesman can clear $250 a month, and not interfere with regular line. R. S. LORD, 509, 511 South 10th st., Omaha, Neb.

GOVERNMENT POSITIONS—Thousands of appointments to be made; examinations soon in every State; circular 215, giving full particulars as to positions, salaries, duties, dates, etc., sent free. NATIONAL CORRESPONDENCE INSTITUTE, Washington, D. C.

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FOR SALE—A lot of nice black walnut doors, double and single, and frames, also sash; conditions will not admit to store out. JOHN S. McCULLOUGH, 1 Boylston st.

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BARGAINS—BARGAINS.

E. MILTON—Dandy 12-room house and stable, new piazzas, modern in every respect, must be sold before anything; cost $15,000; price $8,000. ROBINSON.

MALDEN—7-room house and lot, $2,000; will sell cheap for $2,000; price $2,300. ROBINSON.

MALDEN—Two 2½ houses, 12,000 ft. land, great chance; price $2,350. ROBINSON.

MEDFORD—8-r. and b. house, sun, no better now, no better bargain. ROBINSON.

W. MEDFORD—Placed in my hands to sell, 9-room house, every modern convenience; $5,000. ROBINSON. No cards on this trade.

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CLOUD	ROBINSON	Real Estate
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A	J. B. McGREGOR	For Sale
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LINING	P. J. EVANS	Musical Inst.

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To all parties who begin treatment at the office of the Oamo-Chemic Physicians, 18 Boylston St., before Dec. 16th. This includes all needed medicine.

BOARD AND ROOMS.

BOARD AND ROOMS—Wanted by capable table girl, in private family; must be within 5 minutes' walk of Dudley st. terminal; state terms. P. 321, Boston American.

BARTER AND EXCHANGE.

WILL EXCHANGE or sell piano, $75 cash; piano is new. P. 322, Boston American.

SITUATIONS WANTED—Male.

YOUNG MAN 21 wishes situation in wool store; has 2½ yrs. experience. P. 323, Boston American.

STORM WINDOWS By VE COAL

and add to your comfort. We have a large stock. E. A. CARLISLE & POPE CO., 6 Sudbury st.

Tomorrow's Specials in Our Grocery Department

CHICKENS, fancy native, dry picked, 25c quality, our price Saturday **18c**
TURKEYS, extra dry picked, per lb **19c**
PRIME RIB ROAST, per lb. **12½c**

LEG FANCY SPRING LAMB, per lb. **15c**
SIRLOIN STEAK, extra fine cut, per lb. . **18c**
DUCKS, extra fancy native, per lb **18c**
OX TONGUE, sugar cured, per lb **15c**
PIGS' TONGUES, sugar cured, per lb. . . . **12½c**
LIVERWURST, finest made, per lb **10c**

COFFEE—"Bon Ton Blend," fresh roasted, exceptionally fine flavor and aroma, equal in drinking quality to that usually sold for 25c lb. Special introductory price, Saturday only **17c**

APITEZO GRAINS, one of the finest ready-to-eat breakfast cereals on the market. Regular 10c pkg., our price **5c**

CORN—Potomac Valley brand Cream Sugar Corn. Regular 10c quality; special Saturday, 70c dozen, per can **6c**

SALMON—Finest Columbia River. Regular 15c ½-lb. can, our price **10c**

FREE FOR SATURDAY. 10c bottle Vanilla or Lemon Extract FREE with each purchase of a 25c bottle Van Duzen's Vanilla or 20c Lemon Extract. There is no better or purer extracts made than these.

JELL-O, delicious dessert powder, lemon, orange, raspberry and strawberry. Regular 10c pkg., our price Saturday **6c**

JAMS—Pure fruit and granulated sugar, all kinds, one-pound 20c jars, our price 1.75 dozen, per jar **15c**

GRAPE FRUIT, extra large . . . . . 3 for **25c**
BUTTER, fresh made, per lb **28c**
FRESH EGGS, per dozen **34c**

—Dodge-Spear Co. Grocery Store—Fourth Floor—

WATCH THE CAMERA MAN; HE'S APT TO GET *YOU*

The Original of This Snapshot Will Receive a Prize of $2.

He Catches One Woman Shopper Every Weekday in the Retail District.

JUST like finding money, isn't it? Easiest way in the world to win $2, isn't it? Why, it's the plainest proposition ever made.

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Then that picture is printed the original of the photograph calls, identifies the snapshot and receives a reward of $2 for his trouble. If she can't call she sends a messenger or if she's "broke" she gets a check by return mail. Anything simpler?

Keep your eye on the Camera Man. He may catch you any day.

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Sunday American Dec. 9th

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This Beautiful Vase Pitcher

The Best Pitcher We Have Yet Offered

Or the Coupon for the Special List

Bring Your Ads., With Cash, to the Office, 80 Summer St.

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Set solid, 12½c. per line; displayed, 30c. per line.

$225
$2 Down
$1 Week

Will not be home for this and one acre land with room for several, in Canton, at Glen Echo Lake. Good location for poultry, fruit and vegetable farms, and for summer home sites. Will build to suit and sell on easy terms. This is one mile from No. Stoughton R. R. station, and is a beautiful location, and ideal for produce, plenty of wood. Apply to owner, HENRY BARTLETT, 89 Court st.

BOSTON, 50 MINUTES.

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FORBES MAY COACH HARVARD

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—W. Cameron Forbes, now Governor of the Philippines is wanted as coach of next year's Harvard football team. He will return to his home in Norwood, Mass., next Summer, and it is probable that he will be asked to take general charge of the Crimson eleven.

The reformers of the game at Harvard have no objection to a professional coach in addition to Mr. Forbes, provided he confines his work to teaching the game and refrains from attempting to dictate or influence the general athletic policy of the college.

Cameron Forbes's name has long been in the minds of Harvard graduates interested in the development of football. But so long as he is Governor of the Philippines, of course it could not be said that he was available.

Mr. Forbes was born at Milton, Mass., in 1870. After training in the preparatory schools he entered Harvard University, where he played on the football and other teams. He graduated from Harvard in 1892. He was appointed a member of the Philippine commission as Secretary of Commerce and Police in the Philippine government, where he has served since June 15, 1904.

FITZGERALD SWAPS HORSES WITH BOWSER

As the result of John Fitzgerald, the Boston horseman, and Trainer Will Bowser, of White River Junction, Vt., meeting, there has been a change in the ownership of two prominent horses. Fitzgerald is leading the stallion Directum's Poster, by Directum, 2:05¾, out of Layboll, half-sister of Lady Ranier, 2:11, for the pacing mare Charmeon, by Robert Ryan, son of Robert McGregor, 2:17, dam by Onward.

Charmeon has been sent to John Robbins in Dorchester to Winter. She is seven years old, and in 1905 paced a trial mile over the Columbus (O.) track in 2:08½, hitched to a mattress wagon. Bowser bought her last Spring with the expectancy of campaigning her in the speed classes, as she has no professional record, but all the pig-skin reports from the south on her show through sectionally. She has now improved enough to be looked upon as a great prospect for 1907.

Mr. Fitzgerald will have a stronger string the next season than since he has been in the game. Besides Directum's Poster, he will have to the races Miss Armond (2:16¾), Will Peters (2:18¾), and Lady Ellen (2:19¼), the three latter now being quartered at S. Walter Wake's stable in Grove Hall.

YANGER MAY MEET MOWATT

CHICAGO, Dec. 7.—Those ancient foes, the Tipton Slasher and the Fighting Conductor, are to be staged again according to the present outlook.

Three pounds difference in weight is all that kept a match from being clinched yesterday between Benny Yanger and Tommy Mowatt. When the Conductor-Meteorem battles are to New York, so are the Yanger-Mowatt fights to Chicago ring fans, and no matter how many times one fighter must meet with defeat, it is always of interest to head ring partisans to see a battle royal between them again.

A club at Peoria is after the bout, and if satisfactory weight arrangements can be made Mowatt and Yanger will be given a chance to finally settle their long lists of draws and decide which one is the best ringster.

BIG RACE AT PARK SQ. RINK CARD TONIGHT

Racing by the top-notchers of the roller game will be the attraction at the Park Square Rink to-night, when a card of nerve-racking events will be run off with all the leading talent competing.

The star among the speeders on the little rollers is Fred Walsh, the veteran of many a hard-fought battle on skates, who has a whole bunch of medals and prizes in his sack. He is known from coast to coast as the swiftest of indoor racing men, and he will be a hot choice to win when he enters to-night.

White is confident of winning the five-mile professional race, but there are a few in the event who are bound to give him a lot of trouble.

Clarence Hamilton, the boy wonder, who has beaten everything in sight the past year on the large and small tracks, appears to have a look-in at the tape, and will make the veterans extend themselves as he never did.

Hamilton is one of the most promising of roller racers and is possessed of remarkable speed and stamina. Fred Walsh is another who will make it hot for the leaders, as he has prepared especially for the hard test against the big guns. Pierce, McDougal and McLeod and a score of others will fight it out the full distance on the biggest track in the world, as the Park Square course is four laps to the mile, and allows the men to show their best paces.

The race will start at 10 o'clock.

CLARENCE HAMILTON. FRED WALSH.

CLARENCE HAMILTON AND FRED WALSH WHO COMPETE TO-NIGHT AT PARK SQUARE RINK

KAUFMAN AND GARDNER NEXT

LOS ANGELES, Dec. 7.—George Gardner and Al Kaufmann probably will be the next boxing attraction at Los Angeles, as the Flynn-Sullivan battle is off, owing to Flynn's inability to get a match for San Diego instead of Sullivan here.

Flynn wants a chance at O'Brien and offers a $1,000 side bet, but as O'Brien will not go to this State Gardner matched is listed for December 21.

Manager McCarey sent word to both men that the gate was open, and articles will probably be signed at once.

Apparently Tex Rickard is trying to tempt Jeffries into the ring again, for a fight with Jack Johnston. Jeff has been informed that a $50,000 purse is waiting for him if he will enter the ring for a fight at Ely, Nev., the new camp that Rickard is booming.

CHOICE BETWEEN JONES AND BIGLOW

NEW HAVEN, Ct., Dec. 7.—No date has been fixed for the election of a Yale football captain. The candidates for honors are boosting him for the captaincy, but Biglow seems to be certain of victory. Jones will probably be baseball captain in 1907, and the power in football leadership is therefore claimed for Biglow, who gave up the crew captaincy in order to play football.

HUB SPORTS FORWARD COIN FOR WALSH END

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Dec. 7.—Billy Keerin yesterday afternoon consented to allow Tommy Burns to referee the battle between Abe Attell and Jimmie Walsh before the Pacific Athletic Club to-night for the championship of the world. Attell is on the long end of 10 to 6 odds, but as he has not trained for this battle as hard as for previous ones, large are not a few bets going down on Walsh. Betting was not heavy until yesterday.

Attell finished the hard work of his training Wednesday and the only thing that he did yesterday was to take a long walk with McDonald. To-day he will do nothing.

Walsh and Keerin also spent a quiet day yesterday, Walsh's training consisted of a four-mile jaunt, and as he took an hour to the distance the road was not hard. He will loaf around the East Side A. C. until 7 o'clock to-night and will not come into town until just before time to weigh in. As he is two pounds under weight, he will fight on a full stomach, while Attell probably will enter the ring light. Harry Baker is matched to meet the winner of this contest in January, and as a result each lad is the more anxious to prevent a draw, although in that case Attell will receive the preference in the latter date.

A flood of Boston money is on its way here to back up Walsh's end. The report of Attell's condition has reached the Hub residents and the little Newton boy won't lack for supporters.

Two preliminary bouts are scheduled for the battle. Young Bowling Nelson and Willie Conroy will step six rounds, while "The Turk" and George Brown will go ten. The films of the Burns-O'Brien fight were tried out here last night for the benefit of the newspaper men. During the first few rounds, the pictures are perfect. Every blow in the fight can be seen, and the pile driver right which nearly sent O'Brien to Long Park looms up as large as life.

Tommy Burns and his training quarter, staff were on hand to look the fight over, for the officials forbid the only representative being Mortimer Swanson, Jawn's valet, who stopped in on his way to his master's apartments to borrow a couple of safety pins.

HORSE CENTRE OF NEW ENGLAND AT BRIGHTON

Plans which will place the principal horse market of New England out in Coe Brighton stockyards are fast maturing. Yesterday a long step in this direction was taken when several dealers, who now do business on Friend and Portland streets, met a representative of Swift & Company. All the dealers expressed a wish to move outside the city proper, and there seemed a willingness to accept the offer of Swift & Company, if the latter will assume the building leases which the dealers hold. Little trouble is anticipated on this score, and there is every reason to believe that work on the new stockyards in Brighton will be started soon after the new year opens.

The aim of the Swifts is to make the Brighton market the distributing point for all New England, and to see that this section of the country gets a better class of horses than is now coming here. This, they claim, will make Boston the leading market of the East, and will be a great help for the country dealer to obtain horses here instead of going to Buffalo, Chicago or Indianapolis for them.

MR. LEAVITT OVERLOOKS MATINEE MEN

If all horsemen were like George Leavitt, there would be no matinee for a trotter or pacer between the prices of $2500 and $5,000 or upwards. It is his idea that when a horse is entered for racing his value is only for a good driver on the roads, while for a racing prospect only the best are worth the feeding, and any thing that can be bought for less than $5,000 is more apt to be a bill of expense than a plaything.

Undoubtedly most professional horsemen will agree with Mr. Leavitt, but the question arises, if one does not overlooked the matinee, or amateur end of the speed game, how can that end be fostered. He has passed his usefulness on the track, and there still remains the matinee and speedway events for him to make good in.

The fine list of matinee events, which the Charles River and Harvesting populated last Fall at the Franklin Field meeting, is a splendid example of popularity in this sport, and it is to be hoped that more capable of holding their own in these events than entered last Fall. The classes above the $250 and below the $5,000 figures, should be encouraged by amateurs, for they can be thankful that there is a market for a lot of these horses too much speed to sell, and of these horses too much speed to sell, and of these horses too much speed to sell, and

Boston American Daily Home Magazine

Dorothy Dix Warns Women Not to Make the Mistake of Mixing Society with Business in the Last of Her Five

TALKS WITH THE GIRL WHO WORKS

This is the last of a series of five great articles by Dorothy Dix, who tells the working girl how to make a success of business life and how to avoid the causes that worked her. Every girl who has to earn her living should read this article.

BY DOROTHY DIX

My first bit of advice to the working girl is: Don't pity yourself because you have to work.

My second is: Play hall.

My third is: Don't have too many feelings.

My fourth is: Don't try to be the whole show.

My fifth is: Don't try to mix business and society.

Every working girl should have two spheres. Outside of her office she should be known as Mamie the charmer. The side of her office she should be known as Mary the worker.

Generally speaking, it is every woman's business to fascinate the opposite sex. Every girl has a right to use such means as God and nature have given her and her own ingenuity can suggest to please men, and thereby seek to capture a husband, but these tactics are not lawful within working hours.

The office and store are barred from the chase, and across the door of every business house should be inscribed: No hunting allowed. Trespassers prosecuted to the full limit of the law.

To the young, to whom love seems everything, this is a hard lesson, and yet the real reason why woman is so often unsuccessful in the business world is because she transplants her coquetries into her business relationships, which is as absurd and incongruous as if one should adorn a salt mackerel barred with orchids.

Dress Sensibly

YOU may see proof of this in the fact that of the army of girls you see going out to work of a morning, half are dressed as if they were going to a reception. Towering pompadours, silk heel shoes, waists laced in to a point of suffocation, transparent necktie gowns that afford a liberal view of ribbon bedecked lingerie, these are not the garments of the toiler, but of the father of men.

The open work shirt waist comes pretty nearly to being a concrete illustration of why women fail in business. Men would fail also if they went to work in dress clothes of a morning, and expected to get along on their best and not on their merits.

Now, I am not saying one word against a girl doing anything she can to make herself fascinating, or she has been blessed with a pair of beautiful eyes that call for special attention to by rolling, let her roll them. If she has got a sweet lisp, let her chirp at the office as she does at home.

If she is gifted with a baby stare and the ability to ask asinine questions as if she didn't know any better, let her continue to do the baby act. If she has been waited on hand and foot, let her shows off by settling her belt, let her fidget with her belt buckle all she pleases.

If she has a golden curl right down in the middle of her forehead, let her pat it and fluff it as much as she desires.

Don't Waste Time

BUT let all of these things be done on her own time, not on the time for which she is being paid so much per hour, and which belongs to her employer. They have no place in a business office.

A hard worked man doesn't want to be goo-goo eyed himself, nor does he want his clerks' attention distracted by flirtations with the pretty girl employee of the house. Still less has he use for her hours for listening to sentiment and romance, whether it be real or affected, and he is a lot more interested in the way she can spell and add up figures than he is in the way her hair is marcelled.

Be Discreet

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There are mighty few of the darlings of society, but the working girl should recognize that the girl who is chaperoned and who has the protection of her home throws about her can do things with impunity a girl who is the girl who earns her own living will be bitterly criticised.

Therefore she must be more discreet. And there is a higher reason for this than even personal safety. When the society girl is imprudent she hurts nobody but herself, but the working girl who is indiscreet hurts every other woman in the world who is trying to make an honest living.

And so, little sister, with you it is a case of noblesse oblige.

There are many ways of saying to a man in effect that one has not the slightest interest in him except as a man, and that she will be glad to remember there such proposals as he is free to make.

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TEXTILE HEADS REJECT OFFER OF MILL MEN

WANT FULL 10 PER CENT. INCREASE IN NEW BEDFORD—FINAL ACTION UP TO WORKERS.

Special to the Boston American.

NEW BEDFORD, Dec. 7.—The offer of the local cotton manufacturers to advance wages 7½ per cent. was unanimously rejected by the New Bedford Textile Council last night and a reply reiterating the original demands of the operatives for a 10 per cent. increase has been sent the manufacturers by Secretary John W. Tennant.

The Textile Council, representing 22,000 mill operatives, met in secret session in Weavers' Hall last night, and the BOSTON AMERICAN reporter learned that much criticism was directed against the manufacturers for their delay of nearly a month before replying to the request of the operatives for a 10 per cent. increase.

The rank and file feel that the present market conditions fully warrant a 10 per cent. advance. Not for years has the industry been so prosperous, and the general opinion prevails that the manufacturers can well afford to give the full advance asked for.

Decision Left to Workers.

The Textile Council will not precipitate a crisis, preferring to leave the decision of the manufacturers' terms to the mill workers themselves. Accordingly calls for special mass meetings for Saturday have been issued by the secretaries of the various unions to discuss the manufacturers' terms and to act upon the recommendations of the Textile Council, which urge a refusal of the 7½ per cent. and reiterate the demand for the 10 per cent.

The Spinners' Union meets in City Hall at 2:30 p. m.; the Carders' Union in Spinners' Hall at 3 o'clock and the Weavers' Union in their hall at the same hour. The Loom Fixers' Union will act upon the Textile Council's recommendations at their general meeting this evening.

Secretary Tennant said that the Textile Council would meet again on Saturday evening at 8 o'clock, when the action of the various local unions will be taken up and the resultant attitude toward manufacturers decided upon.

"Can Afford Increase."

"The manufacturers have offered us an advance of 7½ per cent.," said Mr. Tennant, "but the operatives are determined on getting the wages due them. The manufacturers claim that they have orders booked up six months ahead on the present schedule of wages and that 7½ is the maximum advance they can offer.

"The men, however, do not forget that last year when they demanded a 10 per cent. increase they were put off with five, and to-day they feel that the manufacturers can well afford to give the full increase. The demand of the operatives is reasonable, and if a united front is put up there is little doubt that the manufacturers will grant it."

HUNDREDS SEE DOCTOR SHOT ON BROADWAY

Panics Follow on Street and in Cafe Where Bullet Crashes Through Window.

OPERATOR UNDER ARREST

By Boston American Leased Wire.

NEW YORK, Dec. 7.—In the midst of a great Broadway noon hour throng Thomas O'Connor, a Western Union telegraph operator of No. 200 Wadsworth avenue, the Bronx, suddenly drew a revolver as he was passing Exchange place and fired two shots at Dr. Napoleon Judson of this city, wounding him in the leg.

There was a panic among the crowd on the street and also in a cafe at the corner, No. 52 Broadway, as one of the two bullets fired by O'Connor went through the plate glass window narrowly missing a number of men at their luncheon.

Both O'Connor and the doctor showed the utmost coolness. It was plain that they knew each other, according to eye witnesses of the shooting. O'Connor made no effort to escape, but submitted calmly as Patrolman Foley placed him under arrest.

The cause is said to be a mistake on the part of Conductor Russell of the special train. To Dr. Blake, of Monmouth, one of the first of five doctors to reach the place, Russell declared that he had made a mistake in reckoning on the time he had to reach a sibling where he was to hold up for the regular to pass. The regular was seventy-five minutes late, and Russell was given seventy minutes of this to run on. He tried to make a siding at Winthrop, instead of waiting at Waterville.

Both trains were going at such a rate of speed that when the crash came eight of the thirteen cars of the special were lifted from the track over the engine and piled on top of the regular train.

The track was blocked for hours. Owing to the early hour of the morning, it was a long time before a telephone message could be sent to this place.

4 KILLED; 3 HURT IN HEAD-ON COLLISION

LEWISTON, Me., Dec. 7.—Four people were killed in a terrible head-on smash between two fast freights early to-day near Auburnsmouth, a small station on the Maine Central. Three others are seriously injured. The dead:

S. H. Hodge, Portland, fireman of the special freight.

Forest Fletcher of South Portland, engineer of the regular freight.

A. E. Harriman, Portland, engineer of the special.

Charles F. Freeman, fireman of the regular.

Thomas Harrison, Portland, brakeman.

Benjamin Preble, Portland, brakeman.

The doctor's wound is serious, although not fatal. Passers by carried the wounded man into the cafe, where he waited until the ambulance from Hudson Street Hospital arrived.

Operator O'Connor insists that he shot W. A. Bending, a broker from Chicago, but the wounded man says that he is Dr. Judson, and has an office and home in an uptown apartment.

THREE FUNERALS IN ONE CHURCH TO-DAY

Three funerals took place in St. Joseph's Church, Somerville, to-day, of for Irish Captain John H. Dillon, president of the county board of the Ancient Order of Hibernians, has issued a call for a special county convention composed of representatives of each of the seventeen divisions in the order, to be held in Hibernian Hall, Harvard street, East Boston, to-night at 8 o'clock.

Henry F. Martin, who died Tuesday at his home, No. 79 Flint street. At 9:45 o'clock a service was held for Mrs. Annie Peterson and her infant son, who died at No. 1 Hamilton street. At 10:15 the funeral was held of Mrs. Katherine Fitzgerald, who lived has returned from New York where on the ground floor at No. 79 Flint street went to do Christmas shopping.

SPECIAL CONVENTION OF COUNTY A. O. H.

MRS. ROOSEVELT HOME AGAIN.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 7.—Mrs. Roosevelt arrived here this afternoon from Hudson River Station.

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MAY INDICT TWO RAILWAYS

TOLEDO, O., Dec. 7.—There is reason to believe that the Federal grand jury, when it makes its report to Judge Robert W. Taylor of the United States District Court, will return indictments against one of Toledo's two carrying railways, charging them with violation of interstate commerce laws relative to giving rebates of freight charges to the Toledo Ice and Coal Company of this city.

The same Grand Jury probably will return indictments against several individuals who were connected with those railways. The roads on the racks are the Ann Arbor and Pere Marquette.

DEATH NOTICES.

ALLEN—In Cambridge, Dec. 5, Margaret Hurley Allen, beloved wife of John Allen, aged 57 yrs. Relatives and friends are invited to attend the funeral from the family residence, 42 Sacred St., Saturday, Dec. 8, at 9:15. Requiem high mass at Sacred Heart Church at 10 o'clock. Interment at Malden.

BARKER—In this city, Dec. 5, Harry B. Barker, 32 yrs., 8 mos., 9 da.

Funeral services at his late residence, 34 Cranston st., Jamaica Plain, Saturday, Dec. 8, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Fredericksburg, Va., B. papers please copy.

FITCH—In Somerville, Dec. 5, Nathan A. Fitch, 71 yrs.

Funeral at the East Somerville Baptist Church, cor. Perkins st., Sunday, Dec. 9, at 2 p. m. Burial at Bedford, Mass.

FLAHERTY—In South Boston, Dec. 5, Thomas, husband of Bridget Flaherty.

Funeral from his late residence, 51 Gold st., Saturday, Dec. 8, at 8:15. High mass of requiem at St. Peter and Paul's Church at 9 a. m. Relatives and friends invited.

FLETCHER—In Roxbury, Dec. 5, Hannah S., wife of Brad F. Fletcher, 45 yrs.

Funeral services at her late residence, 116 Mt. Pleasant, Sunday, Dec. 9, at 2 p. m. Friends are invited to attend.

HERRID—In South Boston, Dec. 4, DeWitt C. Hubbard, 69 yrs.

Funeral from his residence, 790 East Fourth st., Saturday, Dec. 8, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Exeter, N. H., papers please copy. Burial private.

HOYT—In Cambridge, Dec. 5, Ellen Lewis, widow of Benjamin J. Hoyt, 76 yrs., 7 mos.

Funeral services at 141 Hurd st., Saturday, Dec. 8, at 2 p. m.

KNIGHT—In East Boston, Dec. 5, George Edward, beloved child of George and Louise Knight, 1 yr., 9 mos., 2 da.

Funeral from the residence of grandmother, Mrs. Sophia Bennett, 10 Lexington st., Sunday, Dec. 9, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

KOTZBACH—In this city, Dec. 5, Margaret, beloved wife of Theodore Motzbach.

Funeral from her late residence, 37 Malden st., Tuesday, Dec. 11, at 8:30 a. m. Services at the Holy Trinity Church, Cathedral, at 9 o'clock, and friends kindly invited to attend.

LALLY—In this city, Dec. 6, James H., 14th s. Funeral from his late residence, 1490 East Sixth st., South Boston, Sunday, Dec. 9, at 2 p. m.

MURPHY—In this city, Dec. 6, William E., beloved son of Catherine and the late William F. Murphy, 22 yrs.

Funeral from 194 Kneeland st., Sunday, Dec. 9, at 1 p. m. Services at St. James's Church at 1:30 o'clock. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Requiem mass Monday at 8 o'clock.

O'CONNELL—In Dorchester, Dec. 6, at her late residence, 57 Dix st., Margaret E., O'Connell (nee Mulcahy), wife of Timothy J. O'Connell.

Funeral Saturday morning, Dec. 8. Time to be announced later.

PITMAN—In Dorchester, Dec. 4, George L., only son of Charlotte M. and the late George H. Pitman, 6 mos.

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HEARINGS.

BOSTON TRANSIT COMMISSION—A public hearing will be given at the rooms of this Commission, 15 Beacon st., Boston, at 11 a. m., on Tuesday, December 18, 1900, on the route of the proposed new subway in Washington st. from Chardon st. to existing subways. By order of the Commission, B. LEIGHTON BEAL, Secretary.

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An Editorial for TO-MORROW

Take Your Salary Home: Your Family Needs It More Than the Saloonkeeper

Saturday night the man with his living AND THAT OF HIS FAMILY to earn gets his salary. He feels rich.

In his pocket is a sum of money varying according to his ability and industry, but A CONSIDERABLE SUM compared with the lunch money he has with him on week days.

He stops at the corner saloon, where he knows the bartender by his first name, and it allowed through the week to run a small account, possibly sixty cents or a dollar. Saloonkeepers are careful not to allow accounts to get LARGE.

The wage-earner wants to pay that indebtedness, that he may start with a clean slate Monday. When he pays it the genial bartender asks him to take a drink.

Then the customer feels in duty bound to return the courtesy. Perhaps his friends also invite him to drink, and he must return THEIR politeness. Presently he is beyond the stage where politeness counts. Somebody says that it is closing time—eleven o'clock.

The customer remembers that he has a home, and a wife and children waiting for the money he has in his pockets.

His hands instinctively feel for it. If any remains there he is lucky. Social amenities in barrooms consume money with remarkable speed.

Our friend the EARLY Saturday night "drunk" is bad enough, but often he has the excuse of weakness of character, or temptation.

He at least MEANS WELL, and he has not learned the force of the maxim concerning the pavement of the lower regions.

There is another of his kind who is still more dangerous to his family and dependents, and that is the man who DELIBERATELY goes out Saturday night with the INTENTION of getting drunk.

This man goes home and has his supper with his family, BUT IS CAREFUL NOT TO GIVE HIS WIFE ANY MONEY.

He is one of the wise men who think that women know nothing of financial affairs.

After supper he dresses himself carefully and strolls around to his favorite barroom.

He finds it carefully burnished and lighted for his reception.

Extra bartenders are there to serve him—because it is Saturday night.

SO GENERAL IS THE CUSTOM OF HEAVY DRINKING SATURDAY EVENINGS THAT EVERY SALOONKEEPER PREPARES FOR IT, POLISHING HIS BRASS, WOODWORK AND MIRRORS, EMPLOYING SPECIAL ASSISTANTS AND ARRANGING EVERYTHING FOR THE PROPER ENTERTAINMENT OF THE MONEY-SPENDING INEBRIATES WHO COME FLOCKING IN AT NIGHTFALL.

As in the case of the man who gets an earlier start, the evening passes quickly with the later drunkard.

Along toward morning, when he turns his thoughts homeward, and follows them uncertainly with his steps, he finds that the money he thought HIS WIFE COULD NOT CARE FOR has been generously presented to the bartenders, who in turn have added it to the accumulations of the saloonkeeper.

As an INSTITUTION, which it has become in this country, the Saturday night "drunk" is a failure.

One night of all others the wage-earner should be clearheaded and sober, and should go straight home to his family. That is PAY DAY night.

He has plenty of handicaps in his race without giving his money to saloonkeepers. There are plenty of uses for it at home. Nearly always the babies need shoes or MEDICINE, if not actually FOOD.

The wife, who the self-important husband believes does not understand the value of money, could use every cent of his salary where it would do the most good.

SHE KNOWS WHERE IT IS NEEDED.

Which is the more worthy object of a man's generosity, the wife who has borne and cares for his children, who has made every possible sacrifice for him, or the rich man with the red face who buys racehorses out of the proceeds of his saloon?

The man who spends his money in the barroom should answer that question BEFORE he makes his Saturday night visit to his friend with the white apron who mixes drinks so artistically.

If he answers it carefully, the Saturday night "drunk" as an institution will rapidly die out, and the saloonkeeper will no longer feel called upon to beautify his establishment for the expected end-of-the-week influx of customers.

OUR ANTEDILUVIAN ANCESTORS

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PAPA COME BACK
F. Opper

"What's all this going on here?"

"Aw, Mrs. Skinclothes has written a book advocating what she calls 'Trial Marriages,' and everybody in Cliffville is adopting the idea."

JUST KIDS

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"Scuse me, Willie, for not recognizin' you at first. I tought you was a cigar sign."

"Gimme me sister's back hair, now!"

"Don't forgit, now when we're passing them girls ter ask me how I like me new 80-horsepower auto."

"Say, Willie, de Op'ry season is on. How about yer?"

11 or 12 O'Clock?

By Charles Fleischer

(RABBI TEMPLE ADATH ISRAEL)

IT may be hard for a non-partisan in the debate to see any principle involved in this question, for the 11 o'clock idea would mean the entering of the thin edge of the wedge of prohibition for the entire State.

To my mind, however, the more important matter is the fact that another social question is to be submitted to a referendum, and that all of us, instead of only our representatives, are to have a hand in passing or rejecting this proposition.

Whichever side wins, all the people have won—democracy has won another victory in this further recognition of the principle of the referendum. But more of that another time.

How to vote? That is still an important item. For one, I shall vote "Yes," as always I do in choosing between license and prohibition. Such a vote seems to me the registering of an actual choice between two evils.

A vote for prohibition indicates a personal attitude of opposition to the very ugly evil of drink. But also it means a refusal to face the real situation.

The voter for license may be as genuinely interested in the removal or the lessening of the social curse of intemperate drink, but he is convinced that prohibition does not cure the disease.

Simply it cloaks the private vice in the garb of social hypocrisy, the State pretending to profess what the individual has no intention of practicing.

I touch upon this matter of prohibition and license because it is implied once, that is, of moderate use of spirits in the question upon which we shall vote. The advocates of prohibition are very likely to vote against the bill, and the advocates of license for it. On that basis, the latter will probably win.

An hour more or less of liquor selling is only a quibble, comparatively speaking.

The prohibitionist deludes himself who imagines that a possible victory for the 11 o'clock idea would mean the entering of the thin edge of the wedge of prohibition for the entire State.

The believer in real temperance, in turn, deludes himself who thinks that the cause of decency depends upon the continuance of the custom of 11 o'clock closing.

And, finally, the liquor interests, who have no moral concern in the matter, fool themselves if they imagine that a victory for the 12 o'clock idea means more of real license, in the ugliest sense of that word, and a lessening regard for decency in this vital question of drinking.

Perhaps this analysis sounds as though I thought every one is going to fool himself, however the balloting results. That is not my meaning, but I wished to suggest the need of such voting as would clearly indicate one's stand in the matter.

If I felt it necessary to give many reasons for an affirmative vote, I would not fail to offer another, which ought to be mentioned to those who might otherwise be short-sighted. I refer to those who might be tempted to vote against the measure because it discriminates in favor of the well-to-do bars and seems to give an hour less of drink to the poorer man.

An affirmative vote would, in this case, mean the entering of the thin edge of equal opportunity for all in this matter of drinking. Placing a regard not the habit of drinking liquor as an evil, but the abuse of it as vicious.

Therefore, I believe not only in enacting the proposed legislation, but in extending its provisions, in time, so as to include all classes of dealers and drinkers.

The bigger question of real temperance, that is, of moderate use of spirituous liquors, is one to be handled by Home, School and Church.

That will never be settled by mere argument of a liquor log closing the bars at 11 or 12 o'clock.

Bobbie's Essays

By William F. Kirk

NOAH was a nise old man wich lived many yeers ago & was the captin of the first big ship. If it hadent been for Noah we wudent be here now, also if it hadent been for Adam, Adam naived our lives the first time & Noah the 2nd time, so they are both grate heroes.

the way Noah naived our lives was like this, the people had been good for a long time but they got rich & went to see horse shows & grate opry singers & kept gitting lower & lower until they got into politicks, then the Lord sed they drink too much wine, so he sent the Grate Flood, wich lasted 40 days & nites, but Noah was a good man so the Lord told him to build a ship & tak his wife & sons & 2 (two) animals of every kind such as snaiks, elefants, tigers & all other animals, a gent & a lady of eech kind. So Noah started a trust & built a grate ship & toald all the animals to come, a gent & lady of eech kind, & they got on the ship & it dident rest them very much beekaus Noah chased away all the dicker spekulaters, they all went into the ship marching 2 by 2 except the two fleas, they jumped onto the dogs back & have been thare ever since.

After thay had been going a long time on the water wagon they got tired & Noah sent out a pigeon to fly around & look for land & at first the pigen caim back & sed thare is nothing doing but at last he caim back aggen & sed thare is land ded ahead, it looks like a mountain, then the good ship landed on the mountain & the water went down & here we are.

Dictionary of Misinformation

By Wex Jones

YULE—What the magazine poets call Christmas.

Ho! Stir the glowing *Yule* log
Till the sparks fly up the flue,
And as they fly
Come join the *cry*
And sup the plum burgoo.
—*Olden Yules*, by Jeremiah Miggs.

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VACANCY—A place filled by Senators Platt and Depew.

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PUMPKIN—The Grover Cleveland of the vegetable world.

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DIALOGUE—Words and dashes, mostly dashes.

"If I stole a kiss"—
"I should"—
"You would"—
"Yes, for then"—
"How stupid of me. Of course, I see it now. You've"—
"Yes. But what of that? One can't"—
"No; one can't"—
"At least, not"—
"No, certainly not. Not even if"—
"But he does."
"You think he"—
"Oh, I'm sure. One is sure of some things sometimes, ain't one not?"
"I know he isn't. I saw him yesterday— Well, I'm going to kiss you anyway, even if he is engaged to you; and then"—
"Yes, then"—
"Let him kiss the other girl."
"Let's he"—
"Sure."
"Have you"—
"Yes, here's an engagement ring."—*The Wooing of Julie.*

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SHAMPOO—The barber's chance to get back.

The Undiscovered Country

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

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ELLA WHEELER WILCOX.

MAN has explored all countries and all lands,
And made his own the secrets of each clime;
Now, ere the world has fully reached its prime,
The oval earth compassed with steel bands.
The seas are slaves to ships that touch all strands,
And even the haughty elements sublime
And bold yield him their secrets for all time,
And speed like lackeys forth at his commands.

Still, though he search from shore to distant shore,
And no strange realms, no unlocated plains
Are left for his attainment and control,
Yet is there one more kingdom to explore.
Go, know thyself, O man! there yet remains
The undiscovered country of thy soul!

Unearned Increment

By Professor Frank Parsons, Ph. D.

HENRY CLEWS, the famous author of "Twenty-eight Years in Wall Street," who has been for half a century one of the leading bankers and financiers of New York, and is, besides, one of the most delightful men in the country, recently told me of two remarkable illustrations of what single tax friends call the "unearned increment."

A dozen years ago he bought some property on Thirty-fourth street, near Fifth avenue for $750,000. The buildings were worth about $100,000, so that the land (fifty feet front on Thirty-fourth and running through to Thirty-fifth, four lots 250 feet front by 200 feet deep) was valued at $550,000.

Six months ago he sold this property for $750,000, which was the value of the land, less the cost of removing the buildings, for the place was bought to tear down and rebuild.

Mr. Clews says he believes the land today is worth $1,000,000. That is $850,000 of "unearned increment" in a dozen years. Nearly 500 per cent. Increase in twelve years is good progress.

But that is not all of the story.

Just after the close of the Rebellion this same land was bought for $40,000. So that $762,000, or 95 per cent. of the present value is unearned increment; and if we went still further back we should find that practically the whole $1,000,000 value is due to the growth of New York and its relation to the commerce of the country.

Mr. Clews spoke of another case even more remarkable. The owner of a Southern plantation some forty years ago was advised to go to the head waters of the Mississippi for his health, so he sold his property for about $150,000 and went West.

Stopping in Chicago on his way he found what seemed to him an excellent opportunity for investment in real estate. He telegraphed his doctor to ask if Chicago would not do for a residence. The doctor replied, "Don't stop in Chicago over night if you can help it."

So he went on, and, wishing to have his property where he was to live, he did not invest in the Chicago land, a few lots of which were then for sale, but in Chicago, which was offered to the planter for less than $150,000. It is worth today $80,000,000—about 50,000 per cent. increase in less than half a century.

If the planter had bought the land he could have gone away to California or to Europe to live, and the people of Chicago and other parts of the country would do the work and create the business that powers through that city would have built his fortune while he slept or idled his years away.

What the planter did not do many others have done.

The writer is not a single taxer, neither is Mr. Clews, I think, but such cases make it very clear that there is an element in our land system which needs attention if we wish to have it harmonize with the principle that wealth should belong to those who create it.

If it is not seemly, do it not; if it is not true, speak it not.—MARCUS AURELIUS.